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#### LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the *Townsmen*, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the *Townsmen*.

The Schuberts tonight.

Harold Cotton of Providence, R. I., spent Sunday with friends in town.

The assessors started on their annual tour of duty on Tuesday morning, May first.

There will be a regular communication of St. Matthew's lodge on next Monday evening.

Yale will be Phillips Academy's opponent on Brothers' field tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

A few members of the local carpenters union are involved in the strike which is now going on in Lawrence.

Miss Leone Remington of Dorchester spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William A. Allen on Chestnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Magee of Duxbury, formerly of this town, visited in town on Monday of this week.

There is surely a good time in store for all who attend the 60th anniversary of the Free church next Monday evening.

Many people were interested this week in watching two men at work painting the top of the South church steeple.

W. D. Sawyer of New York City, brother of James C. Sawyer, treasurer of Phillips Academy, was in town a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Morse have moved from Elm street to the house on High street recently vacated by the family of Rev. C. C. Starbuck.

The Phillips Academy baseball team has two big games scheduled for next week, Williams being their opponent Tuesday and Georgetown on Friday.

The annual meeting of the November club will be held in the club house next Monday afternoon, May 7. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

Mrs. James Green of Morton street was removed to the Lawrence General hospital on Monday, being seriously ill. It is expected that she will be about again in a few weeks.

On next Wednesday, May 9, the Pundicherry baseball team will play the Mitchell boys' school team at Billerica. The team will be accompanied by a large delegation of scholars.

Dr. Burton's third and last lecture will be given in Abbot Hall on the coming Saturday at half past two o'clock; and will relate to the Dramatic Literature of the Bible.

J. Newton Cole has sold his residence on Chestnut street to Joseph F. Cole. The former will reside with his family in the house recently vacated by Charles Howland on Main street.

William Howell, who has been spending several months in the Southern states has returned to Andover for an indefinite period and is visiting his parents on Summer street.

A two-horse load of fine new furniture was delivered to a customer in Lawrence by Buchanan & Francis a few days ago which shows that this reliable firm is making rapid progress.

The May party to be given by the "Beta Gamma" club, Friday evening, May 4th, in Lawrence will be one of the most unique affairs of the season and will be attended by many local people.

Miss Nancy A. Lassiter and Miss Nannie L. Lassiter left for their home in North Carolina, Thursday morning, where they will spend the summer. Their friends wish them a pleasant time.

Norman Philip Pierce of Honey Grove, Texas, a student at Phillips Academy was removed to the Lawrence General hospital on Wednesday afternoon, suffering with an illness which is thought to be measles.

On Friday evening, May 18, Lincoln lodge No. 78 A. O. U. W., will hold a Ladies' night in the Workman hall. A fine program is being planned for and it is expected that the evening will be spent very pleasantly.

The Christ church choir will assist at a choir festival which will be held at Newtonville in the New church, Friday, May 11th at 7.45 p. m. Free tickets to this festival or the one at Christ church, to be held on May 25th, may be had by applying to the organizer.

F. S. Browne, auctioneer. Antiques at public auction on Wednesday, May ninth, in the Andover Town hall. Banjo clock, bureaus, tables, chairs, low boy, mirrors, candle sticks, pewter and crockery ware, and many other articles. Many of the above articles are nearly 200 years old.

The annual Choir Festival of Christ church will take place Friday evening, May 25th at 7.45 o'clock. The choir will have the assistance of the New Church choir, Newtonville, making a chorus of nearly one hundred voices. The Festival music comprises choruses, trios, vocal and organ solos. A collection will be taken to meet expenses.

Remember the Schubert concert tonight.

Dr. C. O. Day will be the preacher at the Seminary church next Sunday morning.

Communion will be observed in the local Congregational churches next Sunday morning.

Mrs. James N. Smart has returned to her home for the summer, after passing the winter in Cambridge.

Andover council No. 1078, K. of C. worked the third degree in the Town hall, last evening.

Leonard W. Bodwell who has been spending the winter in Providence, R. I., has returned to Andover for the summer.

The regular meeting of the Andover Mother's club will be held Friday afternoon, May 11th, in the kindergarten rooms. The Indian Ridge, Bradley and Cambridge clubs are expected to be present.

The Helping Hand society of the Free church held one of the pleasantest meetings of the season at the home of Mrs. David Bruce on Cuba street, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Velma Leighton, who recently purchased the hair dressing parlors of Mrs. Mary E. Earle announces that she will open for business on next Monday, May 7.

Last Friday was Parents' Day at the Indian Ridge school and on Tuesday the parents of the West Centre school were invited to observe the work of the children. The attendance was good at both schools and much interest was manifested.

Treasurer George A. Parker of the Home for Aged People and Treasurer Fred S. Boutwell of the Memorial hall received checks last Saturday for the money under the will of the late Mrs. Helen G. Coburn. The amount left to each institution was \$25,000.

Fred Browne has sold the lunch room in the square which he purchased a few months ago from Thomas Platt, to C. W. Flanders of Medford and the latter has taken possession. Mr. Browne will go to Salisbury beach on May 26 and will open his ice cream parlors in the Hotel Cushing. He will return to Andover in the fall.

It is requested that all members of Indian Ridge Rebekah Lodge who are intending to visit the lodge in Stoneham next Tuesday evening, will give their names to one of the following on or before Monday night, if they have not already done so: Mrs. Emma L. Burr, Mrs. Ira Eastman, Frank L. Holt, Frank M. Smith.

Senorita Marcial, the charming Spanish girl from the International Institute at Madrid, will be one of the speakers at the semi-annual meeting of the Andover and Woburn Branch which will be held at Methuen, on Thursday, May 10th, in the First Congregational church. All are welcome.

Abbot Academy is glad that she could add to the honor of Andover by her contribution for the California sufferers. There has been collected the sum of \$75.50, most of which according to the advice of the Massachusetts Relief Committee, has been spent for personal and bed clothing; but the young ladies have also busily sewed in making up garments for children from five to ten years old.

The postponed meeting of the Ladies Home Missionary Society of the Seminary church will be held on Tuesday, May 8, at three o'clock in Bartlett Chapel. The ladies of the congregation are hereby reminded that the time for the annual contribution for Home Missions is at hand, and are asked to be ready when the collector calls. The great opportunities of this work call for a generous response.

Miss C. A. Wallingford's exclusive up-to-date parlors is the place to go for a shampoo, hair dried by natural means. She is also a specialist in scalp treatment, Swedish facial massage, Marcel wave and manicure, special attention paid to Chirpody. First class operators in attendance. Bay State Toilet parlors. Tel. 155-0. Bay State Building, fourth floor, Lawrence, Mass.

#### ABBOTT VILLAGE.

Edward Daniels of Shawheen road is confined to his home by illness.

William Mathewson of Boston spent a few days visiting friends in the village this week.

George Kydd of Newburyport spent Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. James McGee of Lincoln street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Leslie observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage at their home on Red Spring road on Monday evening.

The Andover Cricket Club is scheduled to play the U. S. Buntings tomorrow at Lowell, but it is doubtful if the club can make up a team.

William Eichelberger of Du Bois, Pa., the inventor of the Vulcan Soot cleaner, is at the Smith & Dove Co., plant this week making tests and illustrating the benefits to be derived from his device.

The regular meeting of the Andover Cricket and Association Football club will be held in the Abbott Village hall on Monday evening. All members are requested to be present as business of special importance will be transacted.

The monthly meeting of the Indian Ridge school Mother's club was held in the kindergarten room on Thursday afternoon. The committee on entertainment reported progress in regard to the soiree to be held in the Village hall in the near future. Several numbers for the program have been secured and a good time is anticipated.

Independent Order Good Templars, Shawheen Lodge, No. 61, held their regular weekly meeting on Monday evening, April 30, it being the quarterly election of officers. D. C. T. James M. Craig was present, and visitors from Brook Lodge, Methuen. One new member was initiated and two more were proposed. The Lodge is now in a very prosperous condition. A large amount of business was transacted after which the following program was listened to with great enjoyment: Remarks, D. C. T. J. M. Craig; song, Bro. Stephen; reading, Sister N. Whitehead; song, Sister L. Bissett. This Lodge will meet on Tuesday, May 8, instead of Monday, 4th, on account of the Free Church Birthday Party, which many members will attend.

A meeting of men was held in the Abbott Village hall on Thursday evening to consider ways and means of running a benefit entertainment for the family of Thomas Gillespie, who have met with considerable trouble during the winter through sickness. Mr. Gillespie is confined to the Massachusetts General hospital, undergoing an operation for a dangerous trouble. It was voted to run a concert, dance and drawing on Friday evening, May 25th, in the Abbott Village hall, and the following committees were appointed to complete arrangements: executive, Charles McDermitt, Robert Anderson, Ed. Anderson; entertainment, James Cameron, William McKenzie, Charles Hudson, James Ramsay and William Black. Tickets will be on sale tomorrow, 25 cents.

Among the first cabin passengers sailing from Boston, Tuesday, on the *Saxonia*, was Miss Helen Marland of Griffin, Ga., formerly of Andover. Miss Marland was one of George Willett's party, of Brookline, who will tour England, Scotland, France, Germany and Switzerland in an automobile for three months.

A hearing will be given the New England Tel. & Tel. Co. in the Town house on next Monday afternoon to see if the town will grant them permission to erect poles in Ballardvale as many petitions have been received for the telephone service.

The Selectmen held their regular meeting on Monday afternoon when the following business was transacted: awarded junk dealers licenses, Oliver Vennard, John J. Cronin, Samuel S. Keezar, John Stewart, Mrs. Abbie Cunningham, Bernard Goldastine, B. Kerpel; granted pool room licenses, D. Michlini, Owen F. Caffrey; common victuallers' licenses to D. Michlini, Fred S. Browne, James M. French; auctioneers' licenses to George S. Cole, B. Rogers; intelligence office licenses to Miss Ella Holt, B. Rogers.

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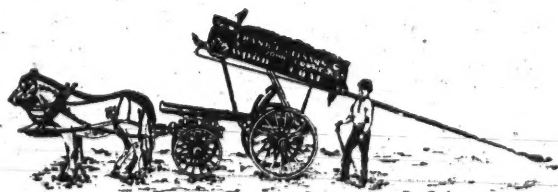
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## ON BEACON HILL

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE ON 12 O'CLOCK BILL

BOSTON, May 3.—Apart from Gov. Guild's special message to the legislature, the calling of a special meeting of the liquor law committee for this morning and the general comment of the corridors, there were no new developments at the state house yesterday in relation to the 12 o'clock bill.

The bill recalled from the governor or Tuesday still remained in the hands of the clerk of the senate as ordered by Pres. Dana. Against the reconsideration of that measure Senator Mahoney's objection still stands.

If the new program is carried out that bill will stay where it is for some days to come, for the schedule now calls for a new bill, one applicable to the city of Boston alone.

Assurances have been received that such a measure will pass both chambers practically without dissent.

When the senate met yesterday afternoon the following message was received from the governor:

"To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

"A bill entitled 'An act to extend the time in which intoxicating liquors may be sold in certain cities' was yesterday recalled by the honorable senate, and being now in possession of the clerk of that body, I find on consultation with the attorney general, business not yet finally disposed of.

"I had hoped that it might be possible to amend the bill so as to relieve it of certain objections which in the present form make it unsatisfactory to me.

"I have conferred with responsible representatives of the great Boston business associations and they agree that the objections to this bill, applying as it does not to Boston only but to smaller residential and industrial communities, are such as to justify reconsideration.

"That no parliamentary objection may stand in the way of relief for the city of Boston I therefore by special message beg to urge upon you the passage of such legislation.

"The city of Boston should be treated as a metropolis. For years it has been claimed that conditions of life and of orderly life in Boston differ from those that prevail in smaller municipalities of the commonwealth, and that the drastic restrictions with respect to hotel accommodations in Boston are driving business away from our chief city to other municipal centers in other states. Every business organization of prominence in Boston has asked for relief from this local condition.

"I trust that your honorable bodies will not let any consideration prevent the passage of some measure embodying the legislation that really is demanded, properly safeguarded so that the privilege desired shall be granted only to those not likely to abuse it.

After the reading of the message the document was referred to the committee on liquor law.

Immediately prior to adjournment of the house the special message of Gov. Guild in regard to special legislation affecting the sale of liquor in hotels until midnight, which had been transmitted from the senate, was read by title by the clerk. The senate had referred the message to the committee on liquor law, and unless there was objection, Speaker Cole said similar reference would be made.

Representative Mellen of Worcester asked that the message be read. The clerk read the message after which Mr. Mellen said:

"It's an unprecedented extraordinary and, I believe, unconstitutional procedure. I approved the suggestion, coming from his excellency as to the parliamentary procedure, but I question the right of his position there.

"The subject matter has been determined and passed upon by this branch and the other branch, and there remained but three things for the governor to do—to sign the bill, to withhold his approval or to allow it to become law by the expiration of the time limit. Some stenographer or a late temperance apostle has prevailed upon the governor to hesitate in signing the bill and to adopt this method."

As Mr. Mellen was proceeding along this line, the speaker recognized Mr. Ames of Boston, who moved that further action be postponed until tomorrow. This motion prevailed.

## IN THE HOUSE.

Representative Toland of Boston won a decided victory in the house yesterday afternoon in securing the substitution of his bill for a state appropriation of \$10,000 to the free home for consumptives located in this city.

The bill was reported against by the ways and means committee, on a roll call the bill was substituted 121 yeas to 60 nays.

The committee on the judiciary reported a bill in relation to delinquent children—a new draft of a bill introduced early in the session by Representative Cushing of Boston.

At the opening of the morning's session of the house.

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men of the house, reconsideration of the rejection of the anti-bucket shop bill was refused, on a roll call, 84 yeas to 103 nays.

The bill to define metropolitan Boston and to create a metropolitan Boston council was rejected in the house by a rising vote, 30 to 41. There was no debate and Representative Bennett, the sponsor of the bill, gave notice that he should move a reconsideration.

The bill to amend the city charter of Medford was passed to be engrossed, on a call of the roll, 100 to 89.

The committee on public health, reported a bill to allow boating, fishing and skating in or on the great ponds owned by the commonwealth.

## IN THE SENATE.

The advocates of band concerts in the park reservations under control of the metropolitan park commissioners won in the state senate yesterday afternoon, when the bill for such concerts was passed to engrossment, 17 to 14, on a roll call.

On a rising vote the bill had been rejected, 14 to 14, the president casting the deciding vote. The roll call changed this, however. Senator Beck of Suffolk made a strong argument for the bill. It was also favored by Cox, Seiberlich and Cusick of Suffolk.

The bill to authorize the construction of a bridge over the Merrimack river in the city of Lawrence was passed to be engrossed, 19 to 10. Without debate, the senate rejected, 3 to 21, the bill relative to negligence of railroad and street railways companies or their employees.

The bill to authorize the Lawrence gas company to increase its capital stock was ordered to a third reading.

The senate refused to concur in the house amendment to the order authorizing the insurance committee to sit during recess. The house amendment, and three other members of the senate and the speaker and four other members of the house, if the house insists on this amendment a committee of conference is ahead.

## BRIDGE BILL SUBSTITUTED FOR ADVERSE REPORT.

BOSTON, May 1.—The resolve appropriating \$50,000 for a representation of the state at the Jamestown exposition was finally passed to be engrossed in the state senate yesterday without the amendment making the representation conditional on the governor, prior to the appointment of the commission, being reasonably satisfied that in the exposition and its grounds "all citizens of the commonwealth, without distinction, shall be treated substantially the same as though the exposition were to be held in Massachusetts."

Such was the form of the amendment offered yesterday by Senator Cox of Suffolk, being similar to the one rejected by a majority of one vote in the senate last week. This amendment was lost yesterday by but one vote, Pres. Dana voting in the negative.

Thirty-nine of the 40 senators went on record on the roll call on the amendment, the absentee being Senator Clark of Middlesex. The amendment was lost, 17 yeas to 16 nays.

If Senator Clark had been present and had voted for the amendment the senate would have been exactly tied, 20 for and 20 against, including the pair, and the amendment defeated on a tie vote.

Senator Cox, in speaking for his amendment, declared that it was entirely reasonable and that the amendment last week was rejected, in his opinion, because undue influence had been brought to bear and misleading statements made. He read a newspaper editorial from the governor of Virginia that he had ever communicated with Gov. Guild or with any one in Massachusetts and given assurances such as had been intimated had been given him relative to the treatment of visitors to the exposition.

Senator Cox read a letter from Thomas Wentworth Higginson commending him for his attitude and the amendment which he had offered. Senators Seiberlich and Macleod also spoke in favor of the amendment, and Senator Kyle of Plymouth in opposition.

The amendment was rejected on a rising vote 16 to 12. On a roll call it was rejected 16 to 17. The bill was then passed to be engrossed, 19 yeas to 11 nays. The roll call on the Cox amendment was as follows:

Yeas—Beck, Chase, Chapple, Cox of Suffolk, Cox of Essex, Cummings, Garland, Grosvenor, Hill, Logan, Macleod, Mahoney, Mellen, Prouty, Reed, Seiberlich—16.

Nays—Buttrick, Cassidy, Cusick, Dana, Dean, Felker, Garfield, Harding, Hilton, Hull, Hunter, Kyle, Nevill, Schofield, Stevens, Taylor, Walker—17.

Paired—Yea, Bullock Lane, Parker; nay, Converse, Garrett, Taft.

The senate rejected the bill to prohibit advertisements of certain diseases by a vote of 10 yeas to 26 nays, the question being on ordering to a third reading.

The "screen law" bill was passed to be engrossed without debate or division.

After some debate the senate, by a vote of 20 to 11, refused to reject the bill directing the metropolitan park commissioners to expend \$15,000 for free band concerts in the reservations at Beverly and Nantasket.

Senator Cox of Essex had the bill authorizing the city of Lawrence to construct a bridge across the Merrimack river substituted for the adverse report of the committee. The Essex senator explained that the bill was merely permissive and the bill was substituted by a vote of 20 to 11.

The committee on railroads reported the names of persons not in their employ to whom free transportation is issued, and for legislation to prohibit railroad companies from issuing free transportation to persons not employed by them.

The committee on public charities reported a resolve to provide for a commission to investigate sites for a state hospital for consumptives.

## IN THE HOUSE.

The house spent the greater portion of its single session yesterday debating the patent medicine bill.

After adopting one amendment the bill was passed to be engrossed. The important amendment adopted was one offered by Mr. Lucie of Somerville, providing that physicians' prescriptions shall not be filed a second time except on order of the physician issuing the prescription.

In opening discussion of the measure Mr. Peabody of Cambridge said there was no difference of purpose between the committee on public health or the movers of amendments, the difference was in method of reaching the desired end.

The committee's bill allows only such alcohol as is necessary to dissolve the ingredients of patent medicines or to preserve them, while the amendment offered by Mr. Peabody limits the

## ANDOVER CHURCHES

South Church Congregational  
Central St., Organized 1711  
Frank H. Shipman, Pastor

SUNDAY, MAY 6.  
10.30 a.m. Morning worship,  
with celebration of the Holy  
Communion. Also Sub-primary  
department.

Sunday-school to follow:  
8.00 p.m. Junior Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.30 p.m. Senior Y. P. S. C. E.  
Wednesday, 7.45 p.m. Midweek  
meeting.

Friday, 7.30  
Quarterly  
meeting, Andover C. E.  
Union.



West Parish Congregational  
Church, Organized 1826.  
J. Edgar Park, Pastor.

SUNDAY, MAY 6.  
10.30 a.m. Morning Worship.  
Sermon by Rev. Wm. Park.  
Sunday school to follow.

2.45 p.m. (Osgood Sunday  
school).  
8.15 p.m. Abbott Sunday  
School.

7.00 p.m. Evening Service.  
Wednesday  
7.45. Prayer  
meeting.



St. Augustine's Church, Roman Catholic,  
Essex St. Organized 1850 Rev. Fr.  
McGowan, Pastor.

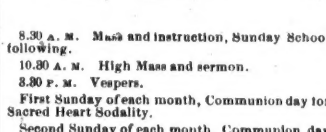
SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, MAY 6.  
8.30 a.m. Mass and instruction, Sunday School  
following.

10.30 a.m. High Mass and sermon.  
8.30 a.m. Vespers.

First Sunday of each month, Communion day for  
Sacred Heart Sodality.

Second Sunday of each month, Communion day  
for children.

Third Sunday of each month, Communion and  
Rosary and Arch Confraternity.



amount of alcohol to 3 per cent, and if more the amount shall be stated on the label.

Mr. Peabody declared that one patent medicine company had already discovered a method of escaping the provisions of the bill before congress.

Under the bill as reported by the committee, almost any company could avoid the purpose of the legislature.

He declared that one company had so changed their formula as to be outside the bill before congress.

After along debate this amendment was rejected on a roll call, 90 yeas to 108 nays.

Representative Lucie's amendment was adopted, 84 yeas to 52 nays on a rising vote. The bill was then engrossed.

The house then took up the bill to provide that 5 per cent of the water service in all municipalities be metered each year, so that in 20 years the entire water service of the state shall be metered.

Mr. Lowell of Newton moved to strike from the first section of the bill the provision that each consumer shall be charged according to the amount of water used as indicated by the meter.

Mr. Lowell said the amendment would allow cities to charge a minimum rate for water as now obtained at Newton.

Mr. O'Connell of Fitchburg offered an amendment so that the bill should apply to the metropolitan water system district. He spoke at length against the bill as reported.

Mr. Davis of Salem moved to amend so that the act become operative only when accepted by city councils and mayors and town meetings. Mr. Dean of Wakefield, favoring the Davis amendment, said if the bill went through this legislature would become known as one that favored "more run and less water." The meter system would raise the cost of water to the poor.

Mr. Long of Cambridge was speaking in opposition to the bill when the hour for adjournment arrived.

On motion of Mr. Quinn of Boston the anti-bucket shop bill was postponed until today.

"So Multin, the trust magnate has retired from business, has he? How much do you suppose he cleaned up?"

"Everything in sight but his record."—Chicago Tribune.

If dogs should form an empire great, As men do who are wiser.

I wonder if their chief of state Be called the Grand Kai-yi-ser.

"Mama, what made you marry papa?"

"Now daughter, stop trying to tease mama."—Denver Post.

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Sts., Organized 1832. Rev. W. E. Lombard, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, MAY 6.  
10.30 a.m. Preaching by Rev.  
W. E. Lombard.

Sunday school to follow the  
Morning service.  
9.30 p.m. C. E. Prayer meeting.  
7.30. Evening service.  
Wednesday, 7.30  
p.m. Prayer meeting.



Christ Church, Episcopal, Central Street  
Organized 1835. Rev. Frederic Palmer  
Rector.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, MAY 6.  
10.30 a.m. Holy Communion with sermon by the  
Rector.

12 m. Sunday-school.  
5.00 p.m. Evening Prayer.  
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. Girls' Friendly Society.

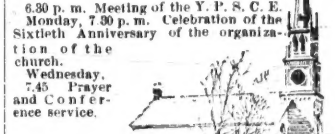


Free Church, Congregational, Railroad St.  
Organized 1846. Rev. Frederic A. Wilson,  
Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, MAY 6.  
10.30 a.m. Worship, with sermon by  
the pastor. Admission of new members  
and sacrament of the Lord's supper.

Sunday school to follow the morning  
service.  
6.30 p.m. Meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E.  
Monday, 7.30 p.m. Celebration of the  
Sixtieth Anniversary of the organization  
of the church.

Wednesday,  
7.45 Prayer  
and Conference service.



Seminary Church, "On the Hill,"  
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SERVICES SUNDAY, MAY 6.  
10.30 a.m. Morning Service,  
followed by the Lord's Supper.  
Sermon by Prof. Day.

12.00. Sunday school.  
5.15 p.m. Phillips Academy Vesper  
Service with address by the Rev.  
William Park of Belfast, Ireland.

7.30 p.m.  
Prayer meeting  
in Bartlett Chapel.



CALLING THE LANDLADY.

From the Boston Globe.

A man's curiosity got the better of him in a Back Bay lodging house one day this week and he paid for it, as is usually the case. He said he hadn't seen the landlady during his stay of three months, the rents being paid to the housekeeper, and a friend to whom he made this remark said that she was around about every day—in fact he wouldn't be surprised if she was in the house then.

To test his confidence he was willing to wager the cigars that she was there, and his doubting friend considered it too easy a thing to lose so he said, "Agreed." Then the man who was certain proceeded to win easily.

Seizing a plate from the table he dropped it upon the floor, and in less than a minute the woman of the house was on the scene inquiring about the cause of the noise. The doubter was satisfied.

Mrs. Housekeep—Did I understand you to say you were looking for work?

Polite Hobo—That madame, was not what I said, nor is it what I meant. I said I was looking for employment.

—Philadelphia Press.

Letter to Andover Millers.

Andover, Mass.,

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7.35; 7.34 ex. ar. 8.00; 7.37 acc. ar. 7.50; 7.45 acc.  
ar. 8.39; 8.21 acc. ar. 8.54; 9.38 ex. ar. 10.04; 9.4  
acc. ar. 10.39; 10.21 ex. ar. 10.55; 11.09 acc. ar.  
11.55; 11.50 ex. ar. 12.25; P.M. 12.34 acc. 12.2  
1.02 acc. ar. 1.40; 1.45 acc. ar. 2.44; 2.38 acc. ar.  
3.22; 4.00 acc. ar. 5.00; 5.46 ex. ar. 6.18; 5.50 acc.  
ar. 6.40; 7.14 acc. ar. 8.00; 9.42 acc. ar. 10.28.  
SUNDAY: A.M. 7.33 ar. 8.29; 8.33 "r. 9.25; P.M.  
12.24 ar. 1.15; 4.10 ar. 4.50; 5.58 ar. 6.50; 6.59 ar.  
7.50; 8.59 ar. 9.55.

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4.37A; 6.05 acc. ar. 6.53; 7.30 acc. ar. 8.17; 9.25  
acc. ar. 10.23; 10.15 acc. ar. 11.15; 10.55 acc. ar.  
11.34; 11.50 acc. ar. 12.38; 12.25 ex. ar. 1.00; 2.15 acc.  
ar. 3.00; 3.30 ex. ar. 4.07; 3.36 acc. ar. 4.37;  
4.59 ex. ar. 5.37; 5.14 ex. ar. 5.48; 5.33 acc. ar. 6.23;  
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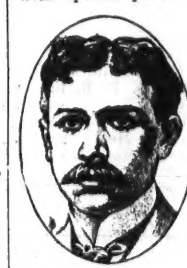
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## KEEPING TAB ON THE WORLD

All the World Watching San Francisco With Admiration as Her People Rise to the Emergency by Bringing Order Out of Chaos and by Shouldering Resolutely the Huge Burden of Reconstruction on a Mightier and More Beautiful Scale—Relief Fund Near \$20,000,000.

San Francisco's recovery from the utter prostration of her business, industrial and social systems since the earthquake and fire of April 18 has been phenomenal. This nation, from every corner of which contributions have flowed until the relief fund nears the \$20,000,000 mark, is proud of the cool headed resourcefulness shown by the stricken city's quarter of a million of sufferers. The relief trains began to arrive, with ample supplies of food and clothing, and the local committee, headed by ex-Mayor Phelan, in co-operation with Mayor Schmitz and the federal troops, had already brought order out of chaos by dividing the homeless population into concentration camps, with special provision for the avoidance of epidemics. General A. W. Greely superseded Funston in immediate control of the city, and his request for 2,500 additional troops was granted.



Edward T. Devine.

Dissatisfaction with the state militia had increased after several instances of their indiscriminate use of firearms, notably the killing of H. C. Tilden, a prominent citizen engaged in Red Cross work. The mayor requested that they be withdrawn, but Governor Pardee defended the militiamen as a body and said they could stay.

At first the president recommended that all relief work be centered in the hands of Edward T. Devine, as general agent for the Red Cross, but owing to some friction it was arranged that money should be sent to ex-Mayor Phelan, while supplies should be consigned to Devine. All banks remained closed pending the arrival of funds from the east and the cooling of vaults in the fire ruins. A plan of issuing limited checks to depositors to be cashed at the mint was arranged. The authorities have taken steps toward the adoption of a comprehensive plan for rebuilding operations.

The city coroner estimated the dead of 1,000. The three local papers, whose buildings were destroyed, issued a paper the day after the disaster jointly under the name of the Call-Chronicle-Examiner. Thousands of people have left the city, some never to return, while other thousands have poured in.

## EXECUTIVE

## Shippers Assail Oil Trust.

The government has begun at Cleveland, O., an investigation into the relations between the railroads and the Standard Oil company, former Attorney General Monnett of Ohio representing the interstate commerce commission. In this work Mr. Monnett is aided by Secretary Chamberlain of the Petroleum association, which includes nearly all of the independent oil producers of the country. Monnett himself made a record in office by his prosecution of Standard Oil.

Burial of John Paul Jones. At Annapolis, April 24, the body of John Paul Jones, founder of the American navy, was transferred from the temporary receiving vault to its permanent resting place in the Naval academy grounds. The ceremony was conducted in the presence of thousands of spectators, with President Roosevelt, M. Jusserand, the French ambassador, General Horace Porter, Governor Warfield of Maryland and numerous others of high official station participating. The president expressed the thanks of the American people to France for the courtesy of allowing the body of the dead hero to be brought home and for sending a squadron of French ships to aid in commemorating the event. He took advantage of the occasion to emphasize the need of creating and maintaining a large navy.

Cortelyou For Postal Notes. Postmaster General Cortelyou has recommended to congress the adoption of the new postal note in denominations running from 1 cent to \$2.50 as an amplification of the present money order system. It would afford a convenient means for transmitting small sums of money through the mail. It is proposed that notes of the denomination from 1 to 10 cents be sold at their face value without a fee. A fee of 1 cent would be charged for notes of from 10 to 40 cents and 2 cents for notes from 50 cents to \$2.50. To carry

out the law an appropriation of \$150,000 is asked.

## Shouts on Canal Work.

In the statement given out by Chairman Shouts of the isthmian canal commission he said that during March 240,000 cubic yards of material had been removed, with eleven steam shovels working on the average. Nevertheless the main part of the work is still preparatory. The actual cost of this excavation was 53 1/2 cents a cubic yard. Reservoirs have been created to give the active sections of the canal strip a general water supply. There are now from 22,000 to 23,000 on the payrolls and an effective force of 17,000 workers. There has been no authentic case of yellow fever since December.

Two civil service commissioners, Cooley and Kiggins, accompanied Mr. Shouts on his last trip and decided to create a local examining board to test fitness for promotion of employees and to establish lists of eligibles for the canal service. At the Culabra cut Chief Engineer Stevens has got tracks laid and ballasted on each level and a double track line through the bottom.

## LEGAL-CRIMINAL

## More Evidence Against Coal Roads.

New evidence was presented to the interstate commerce commission alleging discrimination by the Baltimore and Ohio railroad in the matter of supplying cars for the movement of coal. A. C. Fulmar, a former coal operator in West Virginia, made charges involving Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia, chairman of the senate committee on interstate commerce. Fulmar claimed that after the acquisition of the Morgantown and Kingwood road by Senator Elkins he had difficulty, first, in getting cars and that finally operations on the road leading to his mines were discontinued, squeezing him out. The Elkins mines, he states, continued to get cars. T. S. Davant, freight traffic manager of the Norfolk and Western, testified that at one time the Chesapeake and Ohio, Baltimore and Ohio and Pennsylvania gave his road to understand that if it got a Washington terminal they would enter Norfolk and Western territory. It was brought out that the rate advances made by different roads during the first year of the Pennsylvania domination had cost the consuming public nearly \$2,000,000, the rate advance being about 35 cents a ton.

## Ohio Bridgemen Indicted.

Indictments for alleged trust law violations in the state of Ohio were returned by the grand jury at Norwalk, O., against a number of bridge company officials. George W. Corosier, a banker of New London, was charged with accepting a \$500 bribe from a bridge company while he was county commissioner. Others were indicted representing seven different companies.

## LEGISLATIVE

## Congress Gives \$2,500,000.

The senate added \$500,000 to the resolution of relief for San Francisco sufferers passed by the house, and this was agreed to by the house, in accordance with the wishes of the president. This brought the total appropriation up to \$2,500,000 immediately available and to be disbursed by the secretary of war.

## Spooner Replies to Bailey.

Senator Spooner of Wisconsin, in his long expected speech against the constitutionality of the Bailey amendment to the rate bill, urged that if congress could control the powers of the court then the judiciary would cease to be an independent and co-ordinate branch of the government. He cited cases to show that the effectiveness of a permanent injunction might depend upon the preliminary injunction. Senator Tillman was pressing for an agreement to vote and there was again some prospect of bringing the discussion to a close.

## Agriculture Bill Up.

During the discussion of the agricultural appropriation bill in the house, Mr. Boutell of Illinois replied to the charge made by Mr. Rainey that the watch trust was selling abroad much cheaper than at home. Mr. Boutell denied first that a trust existed and explained the reimportation of watches at profit on the ground that they are of an inferior grade. The bill carries an appropriation of \$7,700,610.

Williams, the minority leader, gave notice that if the Republicans didn't revise the tariff the Democrats would.

## SOCIOLOGICAL

## Iowa's Child Labor Law.

A law which has just been enacted in Iowa forbids the employment of children under fourteen years of age and requires a record to be kept at places of employment of all under sixteen, the hours being restricted to ten a day and no night work. Authority is given to the commissioner of labor to enforce this act.

## Bureau for the Handicapped.

The Charity Organization society has established a special employment bureau at its New York headquarters for the benefit of those persons who by illness, accident, infirmity or previous bad record are unable to re-establish themselves, but who are able and willing to do some honest work.

## Purpose of Playground Association.

To make a scientific study of the games and play of children of both sexes and to present this information in a magazine for general distribution, to train directors of public playgrounds and create a sentiment in favor of the same throughout the country are the principal objects of the Playground

Association of America recently organized at Washington. Dr. Luther T. Gulick, physical director of the New York public schools, is president. The association hopes to establish a museum where all literature on the subject, models of playgrounds and apparatus may be exhibited. Any one may become a member on payment of \$1 a year.

## POLITICAL

## Taft's Talks to Yale Men.

In delivering the first two of a series of lectures in the Dodge course at Yale, Secretary of War Taft, speaking of the effect of college training in political economy, said it was apt to produce a certain in-judging the conduct of the government. Then there was another, emotional class seeking to be governed by the law of love only. He declared that when the college graduate thus became a "parlor socialist" there could be little sympathy for him. He thought that the right of property had played as important a part in the development of the world as the right of personal liberty, as it had developed capital, without which "we should still be in darkness." His advice to the college man was first to learn the polling place in his ward and then get acquainted with the people. He thought there was no objection to a man seeking a public office if he thought that he could fill the bill.

In his second lecture the secretary echoed the thoughts of the president in his "muck rake" speech by referring to recent attacks on our social and political system in the newspapers and magazines. He said that it was true that corruption existed in municipal and national governments, but that he thought the muck rakers destroyed the sense of proportion in a general condemnation of society at large.

## Effect of Equal Suffrage.

Professor H. E. Kelly, formerly of the Iowa university, who has been a practicing lawyer at Denver for seven years, has now given his opinion of woman suffrage in a letter to a friend published by the Woman's Journal. He finds that the great value in woman suffrage is that it gives dynamic force to a fresh and vital interest in the state. He says that the women are not much concerned with mere partisan politics, but that they are interested intensely in the questions affecting education, cleanliness, morality, beauty, charity, etc. The women of Colorado are not politicians in the common sense and in fact are less so than they were before the adoption of woman suffrage. As a class they are not greatly interested in filling the offices nor are they office seekers. In Colorado the party leaders give heed to a committee of women, whereas in Iowa such a delegation is ignored. Professor Kelly testifies that, contrary to some expectations, there is no case on record of family discord originating in the suffrage and that it is probably true that families tend to stand together upon political questions. Voting has not made the women less beautiful as wives and mothers.

## Hobson to Go to Congress.

Captain Richmond P. Hobson, the "hero of the Merrimack" in the Spanish war, was nominated for congress by the Sixth district of Alabama by a small majority over Representative Bankhead. The Democratic nomination is equivalent to election in that district.

This is sweet vindication to Hobson, who was defeated by Bankhead two years ago. Hobson always charged that Bankhead prevented a favorable report by the house naval committee on the bill to transfer him to the retired list of the navy for "disability incurred in the line of duty." The navy department approved of it, and in a special message the president spoke of it as a "suitable measure" for the relief of Captain Hobson. Later Hobson resigned from the navy. He is a rampant naval expansionist.

## EDUCATIONAL

## President Hadley For Berlin.

The trustees of the Columbian university have nominated President Arthur T. Hadley of Yale university to be Roosevelt professor of American history and institutions in the University of Berlin for the next academic year, and he has been accepted by the Kaiser.

## Lafayette Hazers Suspended.

Fourteen upper class students of the Lafayette college, Easton, Pa., were suspended indefinitely by President Warfield for hazing freshmen. At once the three upper classes unanimously requested the faculty to reconsider its action, as the acts complained of had been participated in by the whole class. The students threatened to leave the college if the men were not reinstated.

## City Schools in the Suburbs.

Professor Wilbur Jackman of the University of Chicago School of Education is leading a movement in favor of erecting Chicago schoolhouses out in the suburbs far enough so that each may have five acres of ground around it. He thinks that the coming system of municipal ownership of street railways will solve the transportation problem by providing special cars or car lines for the children free. Besides, as the children would be going to school in the morning and returning in the evening, they would miss the crowds going to and from business.

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## METHUEN.

## METHUEN WINS.

The Methuen High school baseball team defeated Pynchard High of Andover, on the Glen Forest grounds, Monday afternoon by the score of 3 to 0. The game was close and interesting, neither team being able to score until the last of the seventh inning. Ganley pitched a good game striking out 14 men, while Hardy of Pynchard tried excellently. Pynchard boys were weak with the stick. In this department of the game Cook of Methuen excelled, having two baggers and a single to his credit. The score:

## METHUEN.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Ganley p	4	0	1	0	2	0
Cook 1b	4	0	1	0	1	2
Norris lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Wolcott 2b	4	0	0	4	3	0
Douglas 3b	4	0	1	1	1	0
Craven c	3	0	0	13	1	0
Cheney rf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Emley ss	4	1	1	1	2	0
Bugbee cf	3	0	0	0	0	0

Totals 34 3 7 27 10 2

## PUNCHED.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Daly c	3	0	2	7	1	0
P. Hardy p	4	0	0	3	3	1
O'Connell ss	3	0	2	3	1	2
Engham 1b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Stott cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
F. Hardy	4	0	0	0	0	1
Smith 3b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Sellers 2b	3	0	0	0	4	0
Stiles rf	3	0	0	0	0	0

Totals 31 0 4 24 11 4

Summary: Earned runs, Methuen 1. Base on balls, off Hardy, off Ganley. Left on bases, Methuen 8; Pynchard 6. First base on errors, Pynchard 2; Methuen 3. Two-base hits, Cook. Struck out by Hardy 6; by Ganley 14. Hit by pitcher, Stott; O'Connell.

## SALE AND SUPPER.

The annual sale and supper under the auspices of the Cheerful Workers and Ladies of the Baptist church was held last night in the church vestry, and was largely attended in spite of the rain.

The lobster salad supper was in charge of the ladies and was served from 6 to 8 o'clock. It was an excellent one, and served in the most satisfactory manner.

The ladies who had charge of the various departments included: Mrs. L. O. Norris, Mrs. Geo. W. Sillaway, and Mrs. Brown; in charge of the salads: Mrs. Georgia Lee, Mrs. Claude M. Whittier and Miss Gage; in charge of cakes and pies: Miss Julia Emerson, in charge of coffee: Miss Barbara Sinclair in charge of the milk and bread; Mrs. John Welch, Mrs. George W. Barnes, and Mrs. Blodgett assisted by others, in the kitchen.

The head waiters were Miss Mary Cluff, Mrs. Arthur L. Jenkins, and Mrs. Matthews. These were assisted by the young ladies of the church, including Misses Maud Edwards, Florence Walger, Edna Averill, Effie Lyons, Bessie G. Tinkham, Mrs. Tilton, and others.

The sale was in charge of the Cheerful Workers. The various tables were well patronized and quite a large sum was realized. The committees in charge included:

Flower table: Mrs. William Thompson, Mrs. R. B. Fisher and Mrs. J. W. Buckley. Apron table: Mrs. George B. Pradbury, Mrs. Varnum C. Sanborn, and Mrs. Henry P. Klemke. Handkerchief table: Mrs. George G. Frederick. Fancy table: Mrs. Fanny Blodgett, Mrs. George H. Wood, Candy table: Mrs. Arthur Kinney and Mrs. Dollie Nowell. Ice cream: Charles Hutchins, J. W. Buckley and J. D. Price.

## Football Coach.

All those interested in Phillips Andover's athletics will be pleased to know that the football management has been fortunate enough to secure the services of Dr. John C. O'Connor of Bradford, Mass., who so successfully coached last fall's team.

Dr. O'Connor is a member of the class of 1902 of Dartmouth, where he played on the team four years, and captained it through one of the most successful seasons the college has ever had.

The management could not have secured the services of a man better qualified to fill the position of coach, or one in whom the team and school would have so much confidence.

## Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that the "Regulations of the Board of Health" for the Town of Andover, as published and issued for the years 1904 and 1905 are approved for 1906 and 1907. Copies may be obtained upon application.

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### Land Booms.

Our neighboring town of North Andover is "up against it" with a vengeance, in the spirit of land boom that is floating over its fair fields and picturesque hills. From almost one end of the town to the other, signs are staring at the public announcing "dollar down" land sales, and building sites that have always been pictured by the residents as ideal locations for "estates" are being platted into ten by twelve "lots". No town in the Commonwealth has more natural advantages and charms than beautiful North Andover. Its hills and lake and broad fields are the setting for some of the finest estates to be found anywhere, and its development as a residential town has been considered as assured. An influx of people who will build their own homes, and take their part in the citizenship of the town, will not be regretted by anybody. It would be as much of a disaster for the town to be made up of all or even a large part of wealthy residents, as it would be for it to be a settlement of hovels. But "land booms" do not as a rule develop communities in that way. They make for towns what everything else that is forced makes, an unhealthy and unnatural growth, and it is not surprising that there is considerable uneasiness over in North Andover over what may come.

The great development and growth of Lawrence is bound to carry an overflow of people into the surrounding towns, and the towns will welcome all who come to them in the spirit of full citizenship. The creations of the land hawks, either in the nature of the buildings or in the character of their poor victims, are very seldom the stable and substantial kind of residents that our New England towns are made up of, and that they welcome to their borders. Every man who comes to Andover or North Andover and buys his house lot, and builds his home, is a welcome addition. A cordial greeting is assured him, and there is work in either town for him. But his coming will only help the town, as he fits himself into an environment already established, and of a kind that has made both towns famous New England home towns. The promoter's land booms, such as our neighbors are experiencing, have seldom brought such results, and we may well fear for the present possibilities.

### Editorial Cinders.

Andover was not at all backward in her response to the call for California relief. Her contribution has reached an amount over \$2000, and that sum represents a generous proportion for the town to bear. It has been a wonderful outpouring on the part of the whole American people, and no city could fail to respond to such a stimulus as this encouragement must be to San Francisco.

With his usual thoughtfulness, Mr. Wm. M. Wood remembered the people of the town farm last Saturday with a bounteous share of the spread which had been provided for his guests at Arden.

The Spring building season is full of promise. Many new buildings are already under way, and a busy time is assured. The town grows in just the right way.

The May breakfast was never better and, the results of it, never more gratifying. Everybody "lent a hand", and there could be no doubt of the result.

### Harvard-Andover Banquet.

Last Friday evening the Harvard-Andover club held a banquet at Phillips Inn. The guest of the evening was A. Y. Thayer, editor of the Harvard Graduates' magazine, who gave an excellent talk on the conditions in Harvard, mentioning particularly the professional schools and the new college of dentistry to be established. He also spoke concerning the new MacKay fund, a sum of \$5,000,000, to be used in establishing a new first graduate college.

The following officers for the year were elected:

Dr. Chas. E. Abbott, President; Rev. Frederic Palmer, vice-president; and Bartlett Hayes, secretary and treasurer.

Those present were: Messrs. C. E. Abbott, Rev. Frederic Palmer, B. Hayes, A. Y. Thayer, Dr. A. E. Hulme, G. W. W. Dove, Allen R. Benner, Clinton C. Scheffey, G. W. R. Holmes, N. E. Bartlett, Dr. J. F. Torrey, William G. Goldsmith, P. W. Thomson, C. C. Payson, Corwin F. Palmer and others.

### THE MAY BREAKFAST

A Large Attendance at the Annual Breakfast under the Auspices of the Woman's Relief Corps.

The annual May breakfast occurred in the Town hall on Tuesday morning under the auspices of the Woman's Relief Corps and as usual was attended by a large number of townspeople, it being estimated that more were present this year than in any year past. The door opened at 5.30, and from that time until eight the tables were filled with hungry people. At half past seven fifty-three Abbot Academy girls arrived and took seats at the table in the front of the hall, which was reserved for them.

The menu consisted of usual of cold meats, beans, rolls, coffee, pickles, pie, cake and fruit. The tables were well supplied with eatables, the public having responded in the same generous manner which has prevailed in the past.

During the breakfast music was furnished by Miss Alice Cox and Miss Flora Lindsay.

The executive committee, who had the entire affair in charge consisted of: Miss Sadie Hobbs, chairman, Mrs. William Morse, Miss Margaret McTernan, Mrs. George Meares, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. James Anderson, Mrs. David Lindsay, Mrs. William Carruth Allen, Mrs. Lucy Buxton, Mrs. Lizzie Buxton, Mrs. Esther Holt, Mrs. Olive Holt, Mrs. Jennie M. Bean, Mrs. E. R. Barton, Mrs. Ira Eastman, Mrs. Andrew McTernan and Miss Rebecca McCullom.

The various tables were in charge of the members of the Corps and they were assisted by a number of young ladies. They were as follows:

Mrs. William Morse's table—Misses Anne Coleman, Helen Bailey, Ethel Hitchcock, Florence Meares.

Mrs. Katherine White's table—Mrs. Clara Norton, Mrs. Catherine Eaton, Floyd Eastman.

Mrs. David Lindsay's table—Mrs. Geo. Holt, Mrs. Walter Rhodes, Miss Della Wardwell.

Miss Margaret McTernan's table—Mrs. Allen F. Abbott, Misses Jennie Thompson, Alice McTernan, Ella Barton.

Mrs. William Carruth Allen's table—Mrs. Lizzie Johnson, Misses Ella Holt, Laura Farnham, Peter D. Smith.

Carving room—J. Warren Berry, Moses Farnham, E. Kendall Jenkins, Mrs. James Anderson, Mrs. Buxton.

Flower table—Mrs. Frank Holt.

Supply tables—Mrs. Jennie M. Bean, Mrs. George Holt, Mrs. E. R. Barton, Mrs. Andrew McTernan.

Apron table—Mrs. Lizzie Buxton.

Kitchen—Mrs. George Meares, Mrs. Ira Eastman, Miss Rebecca McCullom, Miss Ada Buchan.

Tickets—Ballard Holt, George A. Dane

### Recital at Christ Church.

Lovers of music will be pleased to know that organist John Bachelder will give another of his recitals in the Episcopal church next Monday evening. The program will be as follows:

Fuga in B minor, J. S. Bach

Fourth Organ Sonata in D minor, Alex. Guilman

I. Allegro Assai.

II. Andante.

III. Menuetto (allegretto).

IV. Finale (adagio).

Vocal Solo. Air fr. "Samson." Handel

"Return, oh God of hosts."

Pastoral Symphony. fr. "Messiah." Handel

Meditation in E flat, Th. Dubois

Recit. and Arioso fr. "St. Paul," Mendelssohn

"But the Lord is mindful of His own."

Finale in D major, J. Lemmens

### Means Speakers.

Eleven men have been chosen by the committee of award to speak for the Means Prizes for original declamations. The prizes are twenty, twelve and eight dollars for the first, second and third men respectively. The prizes are given for both composition and delivery. The men chosen, with their subjects are:

H. Gemmer—"Auf Wiedersehen."

A. Farnsworth—"The Demand for Better City Government."

W. G. Beach—"The Power of Habit."

N. H. Foster—"In the Mountains."

S. S. Day—"In the Mountains."

A. F. Marsh—"Forestry as a Profession."

A. M. Haskell—"The Demand for Better City Government."

B. W. Chell—"The Abuse of Advertising."

A. B. Gilbert—"Struggle for Freedom of Speech."

J. B. Waller, jr.—"Improvement of American Cities."

G. F. Parsons, jr.—"In the Mountains."

### The Band Dance.

The first annual dance under the auspices of the Andover Brass band was held in the Town hall last Friday evening and was a very successful and enjoyable affair. There was not as large an attendance as hoped for, but enough money was raised to furnish the members of the band with hats, this being what the dance was conducted for.

From eight until nine the band gave a concert which was very much enjoyed, the band being re-enforced by a number of out of town players, who added greatly to the quality and volume of the music. Promptly at nine the dancing started and was enjoyed by about 75 couples until mid-night. George T. Abbott is president of the band, George A. Higgins treasurer and Charles Newton leader.

### Surprise Party.

Mrs. William MacKenzie was pleasantly surprised at her home by about 20 of her friends, who met Wednesday evening. In behalf of Mr. MacKenzie and those assembled, Charles Mayer, jr., presented her with a beautiful watch chain.

The evening was then pleasantly spent with songs, graphophone and piano selections, and refreshments were served. The party broke up at mid-night.

Those present were: Misses Mina and Lizzie Blisset, Annie Boyd, Nellie Whitehead, Lizzie Stewart, Jennie Singleton, Bella Gorrie, Ida Holt and Jessie Carver; Messrs. Charles, Ida and Albert Mayer, Thomas and John Gorrie, Alex. MacKenzie, Robert Low, Albert Stephen, Robert Hodge, Andrew Ferrier.

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### The Spinsters Convention.

Last week Thursday evening at the November club house, the Vesper Department of the Andover Girls' club entertained the members of the club and friends by giving the "Spinsters Convention."

Garrets and trunks yielded their treasures of old-fashioned clothing and artistic millinery and made the members of the "Single Blessedness Society" look quaint and picturesque as they gathered with their bird cages, dogs and cats to consider the subject apparently so dear to their hearts "Mankind."

The parts were well taken, from those of the president and secretary, the advocates of woman's rights, of dress reform and artistic dress, down to Betsy Bobbett, who thought that she "must explain" and seemed in danger of doing so during her touching appeal to Josiah. The songs were enthusiastically given and added much brightness to the entertainment.

During the evening solos were sung by Miss Ross and Miss Bisset, and the Highland Fling danced by Miss Stewart was a very taking feature of the evening.

The violin solos by Miss Helen McKenzie were finely given and much appreciated.

Miss McKenzie, also Miss Margaret Hinchcliffe and Mr. Thomas Taylor were called in from outside the club to assist Prof. Wakeover.

Some of the spinsters entered with trepidation the machine of Professor Makeover, but the dog apparently went to his fate without a tremor, nay, even eagerly.

The affair showed the hard work of the members of the Vesper club, and reflected great credit upon their gifted and beloved leader, Miss Mary W. Bell, and upon Miss Griswold, who has been so helpful in the Girl's club this season, and whose careful and enthusiastic training showed such good results.

Mrs. Charles Hussey, Miss Carpenter, Miss Erving, Miss Whittemore and Miss Hall assisted in the costuming.

The following is the cast:

Josephine Jane Green	Miss Robina Gordon
Priscilla Abigail Hodge	Miss Bella Porter
Calamity Jane Higgins	Miss Ida Wilkinson
Rebecca Rachel Sharpe	Miss Nellie Kydd
Tiny Short	Miss Agnes Orr
Jerusha Matilda Spriggins	Miss Emma Barkley
Patience Desire Mann	Miss Lizzie Blisset
Sophia Stuckup	Miss Bella Gorrie
Juliet Long	Miss Jean Taylor
Betsy Bobbett	Miss Nellie Whitehead
Charley Longface	Miss Lizzie Ross
Folly Jane Pratt	Miss Lizzie Stewart
Violet Ann Ruggles	Miss Mary Porter
Belinda Bluegrass	Miss Margaret Taylor
Frances Touchenot	Miss Mary Hibberton
Hannah Biggerstaff	Miss Jean McKenzie
Prof. Makeover	Miss Margaret Craik

### Weather Record.

Temperature taken in the morning between 5 and 7 o'clock and at noon between 12 and 1 o'clock.

1905	Morn.	Noon.	1906	Morn.	Noon.
Apr. 27	54	75	Apr. 27	53	68
" 28	42	60	" 28	42	56
" 29	36	68	" 29	34	70
" 30	42	70	" 30	50	64
May 1	42	52	May 1	54	62
" 2	30	54	" 2	40	64
" 3	44	73	" 3	48	64

### Advertised Letters

Unclaimed letters, April 23, 1906.

Abbott, Henry C. Hyde, Mary E.

Bigelow, L. S. (2) Smith, P. E.

Bragar, Amelia White, C. J.

Unclaimed letters, April 30, 1906.

Chase, Harriett L. Co. Fulbourn Diary

Groeger, G. F. Daily, Frances

Holtz, Mrs. Ann Emerson, Olive M.

Kelly, Mary J. Lyne, George

ARTHUR BLISS, P. M.

### Property Destroyed in West Parish.

Fire broke out Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at the old Edwards place on the river road in West Andover and entirely consumed the barn, and large dwelling house which was owned and occupied by Mr. Leland of Lowell. The buildings were situated about four and one-half miles from the Square and the estate was once the site of a flourishing brush factory.

The fire started in the barn which was west of the house and adjoining the residence to which the flames quickly spread destroying both buildings and all their contents.

The loss is estimated at \$4000. On the same estate, but nearer the river, are the greenhouses of Flynn of Lawrence, which at one time were in danger from sparks but which escaped unscathed.

The Andover fire department responded but arrived too late to save anything.

### Celebrates Silver Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. David Leslie celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage at their home on Red Spring road on Monday evening by entertaining about 60 of their most intimate friends and a few relatives. After congratulating the host and hostess on attaining a quarter of a century of wedded life the gathering settled down to enjoy the evening. Scotch stories were told and an exhibition of Highland dancing was given by four members of the party, which added greatly to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie were assisted in receiving by their daughter Alice and son James, and the evening was pleasantly passed in music, both vocal and instrumental. James Leslie presided at the piano and William Black rendered violin selections, followed by a few remarks by Rev. F. A. Wilson of the Free Congregational church. Luncheon was served, and the host and hostess were the recipients of many valuable presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie are highly respected and during their residence of a quarter of a century in Andover, have made a host of friends. During all of this time Mr. Leslie has been employed by the Smith & Dove Manufacturing company. Mr. Leslie is a member of the local lodge of Odd Fellows and the Burns club.

### WEST PARISH.

Frank Cunningham shot and killed a large snake of the black adder variety on Wednesday afternoon, which measured five feet and three inches in length and four inches in circumference. The snake had been terrorizing the children for some time past.

Mrs. Sarah E. Upton, who has been a resident of Chestnut street for a number of years has moved with her son Ralph to Winthrop. Ammon P. Richardson took the furniture over the road on Monday.

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Those who have contributed this week are as follows:

Previously acknowledged,	\$1489 20
Ballardvale Mills, additional	70 00
S. K. Carter,	1 00
Ezra H. Valpey,	20 00
Mrs. Nesbit G. Gleason,	50
L. F. Hitchcock,	1 00
H. W. Boynton,	1 00
Mrs. N. J. Bartlett,	5 00
Mrs. C. L. Mills,	5 00
Miss Story,	2 00
J. L. Abbott,	1 00
Miss M. E. Gray,	2 00
Mrs. Percival Dove,	5 00
Friend,	5 00
Andrew McTernan,	10 00
W. D. Currier,	1 00
F.,	1 00
3 Friends,	2 00
Friend,	1 00
Friend,	50
C. E. Donovan,	50
Mrs. Webster Hazelwood,	1 00
O. Chapman,	2 00
George A. Higgins,	1 00
Friend,	1 00
Smith & Dove employees,	108 05
Charles N. Marland,	1 00
John Davey,	1 00
J. W. Stark,	50
Christ church,	167 85
Christ church Sunday school,	5 71
C. W. Scott,	5 00
Augustinian Fathers,	10 00
James C. Sawyer,	10 00
Friend,	3 00
John M. Stewart,	5 00
H. V. Bullinger,	5 00
M. F. French,	2 00
Friend,	3 00
The Misses Bell,	3 00
A. E. Stearns,	5 00
Friend,	1 00
Van Stone,	1 00
West Parish church,	34 75
Friend,	1 00
Mrs. Lundgren,	1 25
Mr. Holmes,	1 00
Mrs. Mary E. Abbott,	25
Mr. Holt,	25
Elmira Jones,	25
William T. Rea,	25
George A. Parker,	5 00
E. A. W.,	50
E. F. Holt and family,	1 00
J. W. Richardson,	25
D. C. Eastwood, jr.,	25
Cash,	25
Mrs. McKee,	25
John Scott,	25
T. H. Manning,	1 00
Olive J. Holt,	50
P. English,	1 00
S. G. Pearson,	2 00
Friend,	25
Laura and Brooks Cheever,	25 00
Free church,	25
Mrs. P. Barrett,	25
F. A. B.,	1 00
J. H. Playdon,	1 00
A. S. Stott,	25
Charles Fredrickson,	5 00
Thomas E. Allen,	1 00
Cash,	1 00
Cash,	1 00
James Gillen,	2 00
Walter S. Donald,	5 00
Joseph W. Clark,	1 00
Cash,	50
Smith & Dove employees, add.	14 10
James Hovey,	50
Mrs. William Carter,	50
S. H. Bailey,	50
Mr. Jaquith,	2 00
Mrs. Dole,	25
Mrs. James Dole,	1 00
Mrs. M. Feeney,	1 00
Friend,	1 00
James Feeney,	25
Mrs. Walker Holden,	1 00
Joseph Thomson,	5 00
S. H. Bailey,	1 00
Charlotte M. P. Pearson,	10
Elsie Whipple,	50
Mrs. M. E. Dodge,	50
Mary Waldo,	50
Peter Shevlin,	1 00
Mrs. Edward Brooks,	1 00
Milo Gould,	1 00
Horace Dyer,	1 00
Total,	\$2,000 01

### The Little Grave on the Hill.

From out my home is gone a light,  
Eclipsed at early morn;  
A sunbeam fair with promise bright,  
On other skies to dawn;  
A child's career and love I crave,  
Whose form in death now chill,  
Beneath the stars a little grave,  
A grave upon the hill.

His beaming face and smile I miss,  
His fond of prattling lore,  
His fond embrace, his good-night kiss,  
His greetings at the door;  
His light and cheer no more I have,  
My house how lone and still,  
But far away a little grave,  
A grave upon the hill.

Yes, I know what kind neighbors say,  
Who tell me not to mourn,  
How it will be all right some day,  
And sorrows should be borne;  
And hard I study to be brave,  
But spite of words and will,  
My heart turns to a little grave,  
A grave upon the hill.

Ab, none can know another's loss,  
Or depths of anguish sound,  
Unless they too have borne the cross,  
And felt the bitter wound;  
Some think that I may tears might save,  
That strange they should disill,  
But then they see no little grave,  
No grave upon the hill.

I long again his face to see,  
To grasp his tiny hand,  
I wonder if he thinks of me,  
Among that angel band;  
On earth he was my light, my joy,  
And tears my eyes will fill,  
As I think of my little boy,  
Whose grave is on the hill.

Many talk of a heavenly fold,  
A grand celestial seat,  
Of gates of pearl, and streets of gold,  
Where earth's redeemed shall meet;  
But what to me a seraph's joy,  
Or countless harps that thrill,  
If there I find no little boy,  
Whose grave is on the hill.

Where grave is on the hill.

**Concert and Lecture.**  
A very fine entertainment is to take place in Chickering Hall, Boston, on Monday evening, May 7, at 8 o'clock, consisting of a lecture and concert combined. The songs will be sung by Cher-aller Guglielmo Caruso, of Italy, who has recently arrived in New York where he intends to make his home permanently. Signor Caruso is a Neapolitan by birth and comes of an artistic ancestry and is called the finest baritone in Italy. This is his first appearance in Boston.

The lecture will be given by Charles Brodie Patterson of New York, and will be illustrated by his daughter, Miss Laura Patterson, a graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music, at the piano. Mr. Patterson is the author of a book on the Mind.

Tickets at one dollar each, may be obtained at the Andover Bookstore, and a treat is assured all who attend.

Following is the program that will be given:

First Part—Songs

a. Carlena Tosti

b. Minin Tosti

c. Chevalier Guglielmo Caruso

Lecture: "The Influence of Music on the Conscious and Subconscious Mind"

Chas. Brodie Patterson

Illustrated by Miss Laura Patterson at the piano.

Second Part—Songs

a. Prologue—Fugliacci Wagner-Tannhauser

b. Evening Star Wagner-Tannhauser

Contract Awarded.

The contract has been signed for the Free church, Memorial Building, the funds for which were left by Mrs. Esther Smith Byers to Abbot Academy for a fire-proof construction to contain various pictures, statuary, bronzes, etc. The contractors are especially skilled in fire-proof building and are W. R. Wilcutt, Son, and Company. The architects are Andrews, Jacques and Rantoul of Boston, who have done much at Williams and Colorado Colleges as well as many other educational institutions; and who have especially studied the problem of museums.

In order that the collections should be accessible to the public, and yet that the privacy of the school grounds should not be disturbed, the building will be placed between Abbot Hall and School Street, standing in such relation to Abbot Hall as to seem a wing. It will therefore be of similar materials outside, and carry out the colonial style of the old hall.

There will be two exhibition rooms on the ground floor for engravings, photographs, water-colors, etc., and upstairs the large room will have the best arrangements known for oil paintings. Abbot Academy hopes to make this material so entrusted to her care, of service to the town and students of Andover. The work is expected to be begun at once.

### Weddings.

#### PARK—BURTT.

The wedding of Miss Grace L. Burt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Burt of West Parish, and for the past few years a teacher in Pynchard school, and Rev. J. Edgar Park, pastor of the West church, took place in that church last Saturday afternoon at four o'clock in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives of the contracting parties.

The bride was escorted to the front of the church on the arm of her father while the groom entered the church, escorted by Bruce Brotherton of the Andover Theological Seminary, an intimate friend. They were met at the altar by Rev. Frederick Green of Middletown, Conn., a former pastor of the church. Rev. Prof. John Winthrop Platter of the Seminary and Rev. William Park of Belfast, Ire., father of the groom. Each of the clergymen took part in the wedding ceremony, Prof. Platter tying the knot.

The bride party entered the church to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march and retired as Mendelssohn's was being played by Mr. Morley of Boston, a former musical instructor of the bride.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white chiffon cloth over white silk and wore a long veil fastened with lilies of the valley. She carried a bouquet of the same flowers.

The ushers were all intimate friends of the groom, four of them being members of the church and four students at the Seminary. They were Fred S. Boutwell, Frank Hill, Gayton Abbott, George Phelps, Paul Faver, Bruce Brotherton, A. A. McBride and Ellery C. Clapp.

The church was beautifully decorated with palms and potted plants from the green houses of Peter D. Smith and J. Harry Maydon.

A reception followed the ceremony at the parsonage where Rev. and Mrs. Park will make their home, the newly married couple being assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Burt and Rev. William Park. The house was tastefully decorated with jonquils and white pinks.

Rev. and Mrs. Park left town early in the evening on a short wedding tour.

#### THOMPSON—AUCHTERLONIE.

The marriage of two young people of Abbot Village took place on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Y. Guthrie of Red Spring road. The contracting parties were Miss Annie Auchterlonie and James Thompson. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. A. Wilson of the Free church in the presence of about fifty friends.

The bride was attended by Miss Katie Cairnie and the best man was John Collier, an intimate friend of the groom. The bride was beautifully gowned in a cream silk gown trimmed with valence lace and carried white roses.

The bridesmaid was becomingly dressed in pale blue and carried a bouquet of pinks. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served by Caterer E. P. Higgins. Dancing and singing was then indulged in until the "wee sma' hours". The couple were the recipients of a great number of valuable presents including silver ware, bric-a-brac and household articles. The bride and groom left Saturday morning for Boston on their honeymoon. The following out of town parties were present: Mr. and Mrs. James Colville of Lynn, Miss Jennie Auchterlonie of Ludlow, Miss Annie Wilson of Jamaica Plain and Mr. John Matthewson of Boston.

#### WOOLLETT—SOMERS.

At the pleasant country home on Salem street of Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Somers parents of the bride, last Friday afternoon, Miss Constance Somers and John Woodward Woollett of Troy N. Y., were united in marriage by Rev. Harris G. Hale, pastor of the Leyden church, Brookline. It was an exceptionally pretty wedding ceremony, and was witnessed by only the immediate relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties.

The bride appeared charmingly in white liberty silk, trimmed with duchess lace, and carried a beautiful shower bouquet of valley lilies. The maid of honor was Miss Edith Freeman of Brookline, who wore a becoming dress of pink net over silk. The bride was given away by her father, Francis L. Woollett of Allghany, Pa., was best man, and the ushers were Laurence D. Somers of Brookline, Arthur C. Wise of Brookline and William L. Woollett of Albany, N. Y.

A reception followed the ceremony, when Mr. and Mrs. Somers assisted in receiving, after which a wedding breakfast was served. Orchestral music added to the pleasure of the occasion, and the weather fortunately permitted the utilizing of the broad verandas during the social festivity. The simple but tasteful floral decorations about the house were noticeably attractive.

In one of the lower rooms an elaborate display of gifts, in silver, cut glass, and rare tokens of friendship, attracted the admiration of all.

Guests were present from New York, Pennsylvania, Colorado, Brookline, Boston, Andover and Wakefield. Mr. and Mrs. Woollett departed from the "paternal roof" amid a shower of rice, ribbons, etc., and by a clever arrangement entered a private carriage, and left on a wedding trip. They will reside in Albany, where they will be at home after July 10.

Mr. Woollett is an architect and conducts a successful business with his brother, William L. Woollett at Albany. The bride's family formerly lived in Wakefield, but in recent years have lived in Boston and Brookline. The best wishes of a host of friends are extended to the happy young couple.

#### Forestry Lecture.

Last Friday evening Prof. Henry S. Graves, P. A. '88, Yale '92, director of the Yale Forestry school, gave a lecture on Forestry in the upper room of the Dining hall of Phillips Academy. The lecture was a very interesting one and was illustrated by stereopticon views.

Prof. Graves spoke of the waste of very valuable lumber and the formation of companies for the purpose of utilizing the waste, or stumps, now so numerous. He also dwelt upon the methods of lumbering, the size of the trees and the manner of transportation and sawing, illustrating this by stereopticon views.

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### RECEPTION TO AGENT

President William M. Wood Tenders a Reception to the Newly Elected Agent of the Wood Mill, Alvin S. Lyons.

Upon the invitation of President Wood of the American Woolen company the various heads of the working forces of the Washington mills and the new Wood mill, gathered at his spacious mansion in Andover Saturday night, and participated in a genuine love feast, which augurs well for the success of the new enterprise.

The invitation extended to the large number of guests read as follows:

"The president and treasurer of the Wood worsted mills request the pleasure of your company at an informal reception to be given to the manufacturing organization of the Wood worsted and Washington mills to meet A. S. Lyon, on Saturday afternoon, April 28th, 1906, from 5.30 until 7.30 o'clock, at the residence of the president, Andover, Mass."

With his usual precision, promptly at 5.30 p. m., Mr. Wood presented Mr. Lyon to each guest; the reception was of a very informal nature and took place in the beautiful drawing room, which was brilliantly lighted and adorned with beautiful floral settings.

After the introduction, those present sauntered about the spacious grounds until 6 p. m., when dinner was served. At the conclusion of the dinner, tables were moved aside and Mr. Wood arose and motioned to his co-workers to group about him. The president was in fine fettle, and touched upon the great success achieved by Agent Ingram and his subordinates at the Washington mills. "But," he continued, "while fine generalship is needed in any undertaking, victories are won by the rank and file. It took us ten years to bring the Washington to the high plane it occupies today, but I believe that in ten months we shall equal the standard of the Washington at the new Wood mill. In Mr. Lyon we have a man who can weave anything, from the finest handkerchief for ladies' use up to the rug that you walk upon, and while our new agent is a man of mature years and ripe experience, we consider him just the man to hold in check the exuberance and extreme ambition of many of the new young men who have been selected as his aids. We want rivalry to prevail between the new Wood mill and the Washington, but it must be a friendly rivalry, each mill earnestly striving to out-distance the other in quantity and quality of its work. Every employee of the American woolen company has an equal opportunity for promotion—merit alone counts—and every employee will be advanced just as soon as he proves worthy of advancement."

Mr. Wood was frequently interrupted in his speech by tremendous applause and when he concluded he was given a genuine ovation, three cheers and a tiger being given with a hearty good will.

Speaker Cole was then introduced by Mr. Wood and he congratulated those present on the great amount of benefit which has accrued to Lawrence through the efforts of Mr. Wood and his associates, and predicted great success for the new mill. He declared that President Wood was the greatest organizer in the textile world, and that the success of the Washington mills was due to the wonderful system in vogue there.

James E. Donoghue of this city, and several other speakers made addresses felicitating those present on the progress and outlook of the manufacturing business, and wishing success in its fullest measure to Mr. Lyon and all those connected with the Wood and Washington mills.

Mr. Lyon when called upon made a few remarks which were full of confidence for the success of the new mill.

Then President Wood introduced Benjamin F. Smith, Jr., treasurer of the new Wood mill, who spoke in a pleasing vein and was given a most cordial reception.

Agent Ingram closed the speech making the pledge that the Washington would do its part to make the new mill the success it was sure to be.

The company joined in congratulating anew both President Wood and Agent Lyon and at 8 o'clock took special electric for Lawrence.

An orchestra of Boston furnished splendid music during the evening. Algar of Boston catered in a masterly manner, while Thornton Bros. of this city had charge of the floral decorations, which were most elaborate, and reflected much credit on the ability of these well known decorators.

The employees of the Washington mills were presented with boutonnieres of white roses, while those of the Wood mill received red roses.

A pleasant feature of the evening was the announcement for the first time that Ernest Curran of Washington would be the head designer for the new mill. He received many congratulations.

Among those present were the following:

Wm. M. Wood, president; B. F. Smith, Jr., treasurer; James Ingram, Moses Shuttleworth, Charles H. Kitchin, J. C. O'Connell, Robert Laycock, James Boothman, George Juegger, Samuel Hadfield, Frank G. Berwick, James H. Sullivan, Holman Garth, Charles Russell, Amos Hawkins, Joseph Marshall, Thomas Bredbury, Wm. A. Ball, John Ginty, Ed. Whitaker, Charles Bannister, Benjamin Webster, George Priestley, Fred Wuest, Eugene Masson, Thomas Linehan, Joseph Longbottom, Joseph Devan, Stephen A. Gillard, Samuel Middley, John R. Smith, Bernard Otto, Robert T. Todd, Sidney Morton, Matthew Newell, David J. Boyd, Emil Wilde, James Patterson, William Lee, John Chidlow, Herbert G. Barnett, Otto Hofeman, Thomas Huggins, Robert Norris, John O'Brien, Thomas J. Ryan, Fred Hilton, Daniel Reese, Ernest Johnson, David Smith, William Smith, J. P. Barnes, W. E. Livermore, Wm. S. Whitney, E. Curran, James C. Ramsay, Jr., Theodore M. Hall, B. F. Smith, Jr., James R. Bailey, Jr., Frank A. Sherman, W. S. King, Charles A. Hardy, George H. Diman, H. P. Potter, George Kemp, William A. Tobey, I. Paul Martin, Joseph S. Chapman, Harry Hardisty, Albert Woolley, Herman F. Walter, Daniel Brennan, Joseph W. Wilkinson, Robert Bingham, Edward Robinson, William Taylor, Fred Smith, Thomas Herron, L. H. Ballou, A. J. Baxter, Wm. Tinech, Norman Wake, ling, Charles S. Stud, Charles W. Goddard, Richard Iredale, Frank S. Lawson, Charles Tessler, Herbert B. Shaw, George Howarth, David H. Wilson, J. Edward Clark, William Cutler, Thomas Somerville, John W. Lawson, Edward F. Gorman, Thomas H. Jones, Charles W. Hale, Charles Buntia, Arthur Farrow, Gorman N. Norton, Walter M. Lamont, Albert A. Donald, Elijah Strickland, Frank Tobin, James Wolfendale, Walter Cox, Charles B.

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Independent Order of Good Templars, Shawheen Lodge, No. 61, held a very enjoyable entertainment in Abbott Village Hall on Saturday evening, April 28. The affair took the form of a concert and box party, and the hall was well filled with visitors. Chief Templar Alex Valentine presided. The concert was opened by the chairman who welcomed the audience on behalf of Shawheen Lodge. James Callum gave a reading entitled "Kelly's Dream," which was very well received and was heartily cheered, Mr. Callum responding with a comic song "I Guess I've Got Enough." Misses Helen MacKenzie and Mary Black rendered selections on the violin and piano which were cheered. These young ladies are very promising musicians and deserved all the applause accorded them. Miss Jennie Singleton favored the company with a song, "Killarney" and responded to an encore with "Sing Me to Sleep." Miss Singleton was accompanied on the piano by Tom Gorrie. Wm. Matthew's Highland Fling, accompanied by James Ramsay on the bagpipes nearly brought down the house. John Matthew's followed with some excellent selections on the gramophone. Miss Edith Fuller of North Andover gave a very interesting reading entitled "How Dorothy saved the Coach." Miss Fuller was very cordially welcomed and responded with "Green Apples."

A large number of beautifully decorated boxes were then sold amid much merriment, and coffee and cake were served by many young ladies and gentlemen, members of the lodge. After this intermission, Mr. Stephens favored the company with a comic song "I Cannot Come out Today," followed by Miss Singleton with a vocal solo, selected, and Miss MacKenzie and Black played "And Lang Syne" on the violin and piano. Miss Fuller gave another recitation, "The Mean Little Torment," after which the company dispersed, all having spent a very enjoyable evening. The whole affair was a success, both socially and financially. The committee who had charge of the entertainment were Mrs. William Robinson, Robert Low and Alex. Valentine.

Textile Paper in New Quarters.

Fibre and Fabric, the well-known textile weekly, has increased its size one-fifth and has removed to enlarged and admirably equipped offices at 127 Federal street, Boston. It is receiving congratulations upon these evidences of prosperity.

Higgins, George Wainwright, W. O. Smith, Thomas Herron, Sidney Rollins, Andrew Dwyer, E. D. Paige, V. Jealous, Alvin S. Lyon, agent Wood worsted mills; Hon. John N. Cole, speaker; A. J. McCarthy, Sun; A. H. Rogers, Eagle; G. A. Wadsworth, Tribune; James E. Donoghue; and P. K. A. Richardson of the Telegram.

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FOREIGN

**France Facing Serious Crisis.**  
The whole mining district in the north of France has been on the verge of open revolt notwithstanding nearly 30,000 soldiers had been distributed there. The troops were ordered not to shoot or interfere with the strikers unless in self defense, and mobs of strikers have repeatedly stoned the soldiers without an answering shot. Stores have been looted and many private residences robbed. The mild policy of the government under the head of M. Clemenceau, minister of the interior, had served to encourage the elements of disorder and revolution. However, the government made a number of arrests, and the strike committee ordered the men to return to work for the present, as it is impossible to keep the miners acquainted with the course of events pending the outcome of the coming elections.

In the meantime over 80,000 in and near Paris quit work in anticipation of the May day demonstrations, and the government has mobilized an army of 35,000 at the capital to control the disorderly elements. Most of the labor bodies demanded increased wages or shorter hours or both. An attempt on the life of former President Loubet was made when an officer discovered a lighted bomb near a window of his study. He extinguished the fuse in time to prevent an explosion.

**Russian Constitution Published.**  
By the provisions of the new fundamental law for Russia the czar retains control of the army and navy and foreign relations, including the power to declare peace or war, and no law passed by the two houses of parliament shall be in force until it has been approved by the senate. The senate thus has powers comparable to the United States supreme court. The emperor is empowered to dissolve parliament or order new elections, and no provision is made limiting the interval before the new parliament must convene.

The new Russian loan has been oversubscribed in Paris and London. An unauthenticated rumor came from St. Petersburg to the effect that Father Gapon had been hanged by the revolutionary leaders for having deserted the workmen whom he had once led and becoming a government spy.

**Parliament Excludes Women.**  
Owing to the interruption of proceedings and shock to the dignity of the house of commons by reason of women in the gallery calling out for the members to vote on a woman suffrage motion, the speaker of the house had the offenders expelled and made the order of their exclusion permanent. The National Union of Woman Suffrage Societies disclaims connection with the disturbers.

COMMERCIAL

**Wallace With Westinghouse.**  
The reorganization of an electric securities corporation to take over a branch Westinghouse firm was announced at New York April 23, with John F. Wallace as president. This appears to confirm the statement made at the time Wallace resigned as chief engineer of the Panama canal.

**Loss of Insurance Men.**  
At a meeting of New York insurance men the question of facing losses by the California earthquake and fire was considered. It was estimated that the property loss would reach \$600,000,000 and that the insurance liabilities would exceed \$300,000,000. It was generally agreed that rates must be raised. Some of the smaller companies were in favor of taking advantage of the "earthquake clause" in their policies.

**Raft of Earthquake Books.**  
Within a week after the California earthquake and fire disaster a hundred books were in preparation in different cities giving the complete story. One hundred thousand agents have been called for to market the books, some of which will be offered to the public before the embers are cool.

**Last of Insurance Reform.**  
Governor Higgins has signed the last two insurance bills brought into the New York legislature by the Armstrong committee. They are the revision bill, which generally amends the insurance law of the state, and the bill amending the penal code relative to the crime of perjury.

INDUSTRIAL

**Steel Mills at Top Speed.**  
The fear of a general tie-up of the bituminous coal mining industry having given way to confidence, the iron and steel mills, especially in the western Pennsylvania district, have started up at full capacity. They are being fairly swamped with orders, and the steel mill plants have been put on double time. It is said that San Francisco will have to order much of its reconstruction steel abroad, owing to advance orders that will occupy American mills for many months to come.

**Largest Steel Mills Projected.**  
According to plans submitted to the directors of the United States Steel corporation, the largest steel mills in the world are about to be constructed by the Indiana Steel company, a subsidiary corporation, which has acquired 5,000 acres of land in Indiana bordering on Lake Michigan. The mills,

which are already in course of construction, are to cover a square mile of land and will be able to handle 5,000,000 tons of ore a year, which means a product of 3,000,000 tons of pig iron and nearly as much of steel. There will be sixteen blast furnaces, eighty-four open hearth furnaces and six rolling mills. The rail mills alone will cost \$2,500,000. The lake fleet will be increased to handle the business. Coke and coal will reach the plant direct by rail without rehandling. Near by is to be constructed the model city of Gary, named for the chairman of the board of directors. It is expected that this city will have a population of 100,000 inhabitants and that the mill will employ 15,000 men. The earnings of the steel trust for the first quarter were the largest in its history, amounting to \$36,624,490.

**First Turbine Ship Launched.**  
The first turbine ship to be built in the United States was launched at Roach's shipyard, Chester, Pa., April 21, a steamship christened the Governor Cobb, after Governor Cobb of Maine. The new vessel is owned by the Eastern Ship company of Boston.

**Harriman's Record Special.**  
A new record for train speed between Chicago and San Francisco was established by E. H. Harriman's special train, which made the trip in sixty-two hours, or about ten hours shorter than the previous record.

SPORTING EVENTS

**Americans Win at Athens.**  
There were several American winners in the Olympic games at Athens, Greece, and the 100,000 spectators cheered the waving of the stars and stripes.

Martin Sheridan threw the discus 130 feet 2 inches, while the Greek champion, Georgandis, came second with 124 feet 9 inches.

C. M. Daniels, with his crawl stroke, won the 100 meter swimming race. R. C. Ewry won the standing jump at 10 feet 10 inches.

Archie Hahn of the Milwaukee A. C. repeated his triumph of 1904 at St. Louis in the 100 meter event, winning by a yard from Fay R. Moulton of the Kansas City A. C., another American. Myer Prinstein, of the Irish-American A. C., defeated Peter O'Connor of Great Britain, holder of the world's amateur record for the running broad jump, in that event. Prinstein leaped 23 feet 6 inches.

Martin Sheridan, of the Irish-American A. C., won the sixteen pound shot put with 40 feet 2 1/2 inches.

SCIENTIFIC

**Lived Under Great Air Pressure.**  
Professor L. E. Hill of the London Royal society has lately concluded experiments upon himself and an assistant, proving that a man may live under 200 feet of air pressure, which is equivalent to diving under the water to that depth.

**Professor Curie's Death.**  
The sudden ending of the career of Pierre Curie, the Frenchman who collaborated with his talented wife in the discovery of the element radium, by being run over by a wagon in a Paris street, is generally regarded as a great loss to science. It is known that Professor Curie was generally so absorbed with the problems he had under consideration as to be unaware of his surroundings, and to this is attributed the fatal collision.

**Music to Cure Deafness.**  
Three French doctors have recently conducted experiments tending to show that the stimulation of the nerves of the ear by means of musical tones constitutes the true remedy for deafness. For this purpose one of them, Dr. Konig, has invented an instrument called the tonometer. It is a grouping of tuning forks, some of which are found to vibrate in unison with the patient's ear nerves. While thus strengthening the nerves which are still slightly active, it is found that the dormant ones are awakened.

LABOR

**The A. F. L. Makes Complaint.**  
President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor has written to President Roosevelt giving specific instances of alleged violation of the eight hour law in the government departments. The names of the complainants are withheld from publication, although a list of them was given confidentially to the president, as Mr. Gompers' experience has shown that government employees who publicly complain of conditions are apt to be dismissed, and especially since the Roosevelt order that employees may present petitions only through their chiefs. He says that there is not a single case where a violation of the law was rectified by government officers, notwithstanding appeals made to them. The president has referred the whole matter to the commissioner of labor for investigation.

**Final Demands of Miners.**  
The committee of seven appointed by the Shamokin convention, representing the anthracite miners in session at Wilkesbarre, Pa., sent to the mine operators their ultimatum reduced to two alternative propositions, upon the acceptance of either of which the convention will favor the resumption of work for any period to be agreed upon by the joint committees. The first proposition specifies the percentage of wage increases for the different classes of mine workers, graded according to their present earnings. It provides the minimum increase of 5 per cent for the workmen who receive more than \$1.75 a day under existing conditions, and the greatest increase—that of 15

per cent—is given to those who earn \$1 a day or less.  
The second proposition provides for a wage increase which shall amount to an added cost of 10 cents upon the production of coal, the percentage of distribution among the several classes of workmen to be fixed by the joint committees of seven operators and seven mine workers. This is regarded as the very greatest concession for which the miners will stand, as they have dropped all other demands, including the wage system of paying for coal, recognition of the union, improved wage scale, collection of union dues and the eight hour day.

Next day the operators replied flatly rejecting this proposal and also refusing to yield an iota from their first offer to leave the question of new conditions to the strike commission.

**To Operate Nonunion Mines.**  
The report was current at Indianapolis that the operators in the soft coal fields of Indiana, Illinois and Ohio had decided to run their mines with non-union labor notwithstanding that the Chicago conference of operators had voted against making the open shop an issue.

**More Pay For D. and H. Men.**  
The May 1 scale of wages of the Delaware and Hudson railroad makes an increase in wages for trainmen, conductors and telegraphers, the passenger crews being placed on the eleven hour workday wages, with 31 cents an hour for overtime. Freight conductors get \$3.10 for a ten hour day and brakemen \$2.20. The telegraphers get a twelve hour day, with 25 cents an hour for excess.

RELIGIOUS

**Pritchett on Church Ministry.**  
In his recent book entitled "What Is Religion?" President Pritchett of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology pleads for church membership on the ground of the validity of the religious life. He thinks that the church organizations of today have the advantages and weaknesses of other human organizations. While he admits that the church is not indispensable to the progress of religion and that the church as a formal organization may be completely transformed, still he thinks that even the scientific mind, which recognizes the historical inconsistencies of the church, should not be blind to the fact that it is today one of the greatest organized forces which make for law and order and righteousness. He thinks that this is a consideration which young men are inclined to undervalue. He acknowledges that what we call Christianity does not mean and has never meant a true reflection of the ideals of its founder and that it is no longer a creed, but is a visible expression of the gradually advancing conscience of the race.



**Episcopal Heresy Trial.**  
The adjourned trial of the Rev. Algernon S. Crapsey of Rochester on the charge of heresy as a clergyman of the Protestant Episcopal church was resumed in the courthouse at Batavia, N. Y., before the ecclesiastical court. The plea of Edward M. Shepard, the noted New York lawyer, for the defense, asking further delay, was denied. Many prominent clergymen and newspaper correspondents were in attendance. The first witness, the Rev. F. J. K. Alexander of Buffalo, who until January last was Dr. Crapsey's assistant, showed a strong bias against the defendant. The defense scored the first point by barring as competent evidence the whole of the book "Religion and Politics" and confining the case to the fifteen paragraphs cited in the official presentation. It is in these that Dr. Crapsey declares that Christ was born of parents belonging to the middle class and says that the prediction of his miraculous birth was "one of the greatest misfortunes that have befallen mankind." After some controversy between the lawyers the court barred all evidence of a theological nature, which cut short the trial.

MISCELLANEOUS

**Making Good at Panama.**  
Lindsay Denison, one of the editors of Everybody's Magazine, who was sent to the isthmus to get the whole truth about the canal work, with special credentials from the president, makes his report in the May issue. He finds that the task is more impressive in its bigness than he had imagined, that it has been taken in comprehensive American fashion and that an honest effort is being made to get a fair return for every dollar spent. He admits that there is some petty grafting going on, but says it is of no more importance than mosquito bites on an elephant. Under Magoo there has developed a system of government which makes disorder and lawlessness out of the question. He has a police force of 300 Jamaican negroes officered by Americans.

**Accidents.**  
A tornado destroyed the town of Bellevue, Texas, and damaged a number of smaller places and farm houses. Thirteen were reported killed.

A Belgian cadet sailing ship, the Count de Smet Naeyer, foundered in the bay of Biscay, with a loss of thirty-five lives.

A fire swept the town of Mariguina, Luzon, and left thousands homeless. The government is assisting.

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PHILLIPS ANDOVER NINE DEFEATED BY COLBY.

Phillips Andover was defeated by Colby 5 to 2 on Brothers field Tuesday afternoon. The visitors played a clean, fast game and won by superior batting and fielding. Andover could not hit Shaw and the fielding errors made all but one of Colby's runs pure gifts. Lanigan pitched four innings and was touched up for six hits, including three doubles. Merritt finished the game being called at the last of the seventh to enable Colby to catch a train. He allowed three singles, two of which figured in the two runs made in the sixth. Tribou and Dwyer did injury hitting for Colby, both making three hits. The former two batters for the later one, Shaw who pitched for Colby, had speed and good curves. Murphy, Daly and Gunning were the only members of the Andover team who could connect with the sphere. Gunning landed a two bagger, but he remained on second base.

A wild throw by Reynolds, a sacrifice by Lanigan and hits by Murphy and Daly gave Andover her two runs. For Colby Tribou opened with a hot two bagger which Daly almost got. Dwyer singled. Errors by Daly and J. Reilly allowed the two runs to come in. A single and a two bagger gave Colby another in the fourth. Two hits and a wild throw by Fels added two more in the sixth.

The score:

	ab	r	b	h	tb	po	a	e
Tribou	4	2	3	5	1	0	0	0
Dwyer	4	2	3	4	6	1	0	0
Crab	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Combs	4	0	1	1	2	0	0	0
Willey	4	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
Tilton	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shaw	4	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
Reynolds	3	1	1	1	0	0	1	0
Palmer	2	0	1	1	3	0	0	0
Totals	32	5	9	12	19	6	1	0

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	ab	r	b	h	tb	po	a	e
Murphy	4	2	3	5	1	0	0	0
Hennessey	3	0	0	0	6	1	0	0
Daly	4	0	0	0	2	0	2	0
Fels	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gunning	3	0	1	1	8	1	0	0
J. Reilly	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Goldsmith	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McIntyre	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washburn	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
H. Merritt	2	1	0	0	2	1	0	0
Lanigan	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
A. Merritt	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Totals	22	2	3	3	21	11	4	0

Two-base hits, Tribou 2, Dwyer Gunning, Stolen bases, Combs, Murphy, Struck out by Shaw 6, by Lanigan 6, by Merritt, Sacrifice hit, Lanigan, Passed ball, Hennessey, Umpire, Game called with one out.

DARTMOUTH SHUTS OUT PHILLIPS ANDOVER.

Dartmouth shut out Phillips Andover on Brothers field Thursday afternoon, winning 6 to 0 with ease. It was a pretty contest for six innings and a farce after Douglas was sent in to pitch for Andover in the seventh, a base on balls and three hits in that inning netting Dartmouth four runs.

Capt. O'Brien was the star of the Dartmouth team. He made two hits, two runs and participated in a double steal, besides making three pretty catches in left field. Glaze pitched effectively for Dartmouth.

Lanigan started in to do the twirling for Andover and only two hits were made off him in three innings, one a bunt. Two runs were secured while he was in the box, a base on balls, a bunt hit and Fels' wild throw enabling O'Brien and Driscoll to score.

A. Merritt pitched the next three innings most effectively, allowing only one hit and no runs.

Douglas was then sent in with disastrous results. Capt. Reilly has started out with the idea of trying out players rather than winning prelin-

games, but it is not clear why he should try out green pitchers against a team like Dartmouth, especially since Andover is well supplied with seasoned twirlers. Douglas steadied down in the eighth and ninth.

Gunning made his first appearance at first base and gave a good account of himself.

The score:

DARTMOUTH.

	ab	r	b	h	tb	po	a	e
O'Brien	4	2	3	5	1	0	0	0
McDavitt	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Gardner	4	0	1	1	15	0	1	0
Page	2	0	0	0	0	5	0	0
Richardson	4	0	0	1	1	5	0	0
McLane	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Glaze	4	1	1	0	2	0	0	0
Main	4	1	2	4	2	1	0	0
Driscoll	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	24	6	6	7	26	14	2	0

ANDOVER.

	ab	r	b	h	tb	po	a	e
Murphy	4	0	1	1	3	0	0	0
Hennessey	3	0	0	0	7	1	1	0
Daly	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Fels	4	0	0	0	0	7	1	0
Cunning	3	0	0	0	12	0	0	0
McIntyre	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	0
J. Reilly	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Felice	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Islette	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Merritt	3	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
Lanigan	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Merritt	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Douglas	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	30	0	3	3	27	16	2	0

Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
Dartmouth: 0 0 2 0 0 4 0 0 6  
Andover: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Two base hits, Main, Bases on balls, by Lanigan, McDavitt, by Merritt, Page, by Douglas, O'Brien, Struck out, by Glaze, Murphy, Daly 2, Fels, Gunning, Hennessey, by Lanigan, Main, by Merritt, Gardner, Richardson, McLane, by Douglas, Richardson, Stolen bases, O'Brien, McDavitt 2, Page, Driscoll 2, Sacrifice hit, Hennessey, Umpire, Mahoney Time 1 hr. 50 min.

Lanigan out, hit by batted ball.

AMERICAN ATHLETES WIN CHAMPIONSHIP.

ATHENS, May 1.—America's athletes have had a day of remarkable success. Pilgrim, Lightbody, Friend, Leavitt and Bonham sharing the honors. The American team is considered here as being probably the best all-round combination in the world. Yesterday's victories clinched beyond all question America's title to the world's supremacy in athletics.

The 500-meters race tomorrow is likely to fall to them, together with the hurdles. The general hope is expressed that the Marathon race, the great national event, will go to the Greeks, who have shown themselves good sportsmen.

This morning was occupied by the athletes and tourists alike in strolling through the streets and buying souvenirs. The king and members of the royal family again were present at the stadium in the afternoon.

The first event, the 400-meter race, was won by Paul H. Pilgrim of the Pastime A. C. in faultless style.

Another fine race, that of 1500 meters, was won by Paul H. Pilgrim of the Pastime A. C. in faultless style.

Another fine race, that of 1500 meters, was won by James D. Lightbody of Chicago university. In the 1500 meters walking match, George N. Bonham of the Irish-American A. A. won; Spiegeler, Austrian, and Wilkinson, Englishman, who were leading, being disqualified for running.

The running high jumps were dragged out at great length and eventually adjourned until tomorrow.

The event providing the greatest amusement was the tug-of-war, in which the Germans beat the Austrians, and the Greeks beat the Swedes. The whole stadium arose, clapping frantically throughout the contest.

In the 400 meter race Paul Pilgrim won in 53 1/5. Lieut. W. Halswelle, England, was second in 53 4/5; Nigel Barker, Australia, was third.



## LAWRENCE

## ANNUAL MAY BREAKFAST.

More than three thousand persons were served at the annual May Breakfast held in city hall Tuesday morning, the proceeds, as for the past years being devoted to the expenses of the Wood Home for Aged People on Bailey street. So, Lawrence, a beautiful charity conducted by the benevolent ladies of Lawrence and the surrounding towns.

The morning dawned bright and fair and at the first peep of day many people, young and old, were seen wending their way towards city hall in order to be among the very first to be served. At 4.45 o'clock, fifteen minutes before the hour of serving the meat arrived, a jam of people were on hand, anxiously waiting to be served. At five o'clock the appointed hour, all the tables were full. The number of people continually increased and from that hour on it was a continual rush for seats.

The breakfast this year, as in former years, was a great success and when the actual count is made it is hoped that the number of people present will greatly outnumber the count of former years. Those patronizing the different tables found an excellent variety of edibles awaiting their arrival and none departed other than appeased.

The smoothness and facility with which everything progressed reflects credit upon the ladies who had the affair in charge. It proves a strenuous day for the charitable ladies who each year devote time to serving at the different tables. It is also no light task to make the previous arrangements for the breakfast. It requires much forethought and no little planning. Even the small details must be schemed out previous to the morning of the breakfast and this year as in former years, the ladies in charge have devoted days and weeks to laying their plans. That their plans were well laid is evinced by the unparalleled success of the breakfast.

As the ladies of the three local

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

**ESSEX, ss. PROBATE COURT.**  
To the heirs-at-law and all persons interested in the estate of Nathaniel P. H. Melvin, late of Andover, in said County of Essex, deceased, I do hereby certify that the same is now being administered by the executor thereof, Mary L. Melvin.

Whereas, Mary L. Melvin, executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented her petition for authority to manage certain real estate therein devised, of the estate of said deceased, to raise the sum of one thousand dollars, for the purpose of supporting said Mary L. Melvin.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem, in said County of Essex, on the twenty-first day of May, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

**ESSEX, ss. PROBATE COURT.**  
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary D. Way, late of Andover, in said County, widow, deceased, I do hereby certify that the same is now being administered by the executor thereof, Clarence J. Way of Andover, in the County of Essex, without giving a surety on his bond.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Clarence J. Way of Andover, in the County of Essex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lawrence, in said County of Essex, on the fourteenth day of May, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

**ESSEX, ss. PROBATE COURT.**  
To all persons interested in the estate of Esther H. Ryers, late of Andover, in said County, widow, deceased, I do hereby certify that the same is now being administered by the executor thereof, Annie S. Cott and Edward C. Mills, executors of the will of said deceased, have presented for allowance, the first and final account of their administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem, in said County, on the seventh day of May, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executors are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

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Methodist Episcopal churches of the New Hampshire Conference felt that after serving meals for a week during the stay of the visiting members of the conference at its annual session held recently in the Garden street M. E. church, they could well step out for a year and let some of the other denominations assist, three societies were represented this year, namely: the South Congregational church the Pemberton hall Spiritualists' Society and the Christian Scientists' Society.

The May Morning, a publication in which no small amount of interest centers, made its appearance this morning as usual. Its circulation is enormous and Mrs. Caleb Saunders, the managing editor announces that the board of management composing herself and her associate editors have cleared this year a sum of more than \$500. The publication is a source of great revenue and the board of management expresses great appreciation of the manner in which the business and professional men of the city have responded to their call.

The flower, candy, domestic and fancy tables were as usual, generously patronized and the amount of revenue received from each will be announced later in the week, following the meeting of the General Committee on Thursday morning of this week.

The scene of feasting was an animated one and many found interest in watching the crowd of people from the galleries. Untrillingly, matronly ladies and younger ones alike darted hither and thither in their labors of serving the patrons of their tables.

Considerable good-natured rivalry always exists between the different churches as an earnest endeavor is made to serve the greatest number.

The hall was simply decorated in colors of pink and white. A pleasing musical program was carried out by the orchestra of the Free Baptist church, numbering nine pieces.

It was 9 o'clock before the last few persons were served and after that hour the work of dismantling the immense dining room was commenced. A count of the number of coupons taken in was made. This count does not show several hundred workmen and children were served without coupons, therefore the actual number is greatly in excess of 2,969.

It will be of interest to note that several of the inmates of the Home were in attendance at the breakfast this morning arriving before seven o'clock. These were ex-Mayor S. B. W. Davis, 81 years old; Mrs. Crowell, 84 years old and Mrs. Wakefield who has passed the mark of four score.

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## BRADLEY FARM GOLF CLUB COMMITTEES.

The following committees have been appointed for the coming year for the Bradley Farm Golf Club:

Entertainment committee—Cyrus E. Bean, chairman, 20 Hillside street; Fred McAllister, 31 Jackson street; Richard Carden, 137 Parker street; Kirk W. Moses, Jr., 54 Abbott street; Harold Cate, 142 Howard street; Roy Welton, 97 Bailey street; Ralph Hudson, 175 East Haverhill street; Waldo Sanborn, 86 Knox street; Helen Curran, vice chairman, 143 Parker street; Florence E. Welton, 97 Bailey street; Marion Glenn, 54 Saunders street; Clara Bennink, 61 Thorndike street; Alice McKenny, 46 Abbott street; Helen Colby, 88 East Haverhill street; Marion Marble, 6 Berkeley street; Catherine Smith, 51 Bradford street.

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If you have not purchased your spring suit yet, you certainly ought to see our goods and prices. Our 50 inch panamas in all colors at 55 cents per yard, positively cannot be beaten. Farr's Remnant store, 38 Appleton street, Lawrence.

## COUNTRY CLUB TO HAVE PROSPEROUS YEAR.

Indications are that this will be the banner year of the Merrimack Valley Country Club. The various committees and officers are planning their work for the season with unusual interest, and everything that can possibly be done to make the season one of enjoyment to the members will be looked after.

The officers and committees of the club at the present time are: President, Joseph C. Brown; vice president, John E. Maguire of Haverhill; secretary, William T. Kimball; treasurer, Thomas L. Sullivan; chairman of the house committee, A. E. Mack; directors, O. T. Howe, Enoch F. Coburn, Harry Wythe, William Twiss, William Oswald, Green committee, Richard A. Hale, chairman, William Stedman, John C. Sanborn, Jr., Ladies committee, Mrs. William Twiss, Mrs. W. W. Goring, Mrs. H. B. Musk, Mrs. E. N. Winslow, Mrs. W. A. Gable, Mrs. M. A. Mills, Mrs. George B. Sargent, Mrs. J. C. Brown, and Miss Annie Shattuck.

The grounds are now ready for playing and are in better condition at this season of the year than ever before. The club has been very fortunate in securing the services of David Brown of Musselburgh, Scotland, who will have charge of the course and initiate beginners into the mysteries of the game.

Mr. Brown is one of the finest players of the world, having won several open championships in Scotland and England.

The ladies promise great social events during the season, commencing with a grand opening May 23; and from that time on it will be a continuous formance of society, as some social function or other will take place every Wednesday.

Among the special features will be the open house on Memorial day, and the non-concert and children's day in June. The season will end in a blaze of glory with the annual feature, the "County Fair" which will take place the last part of September.

The men will not be neglected, as the annual smoker will be held on May 14, when the vaudeville show and clam supper will be some of the attractions.

The executive committee has done to the ladies \$300 to decorate and furnish the large front room of the club house, and it is needless to say that this room will be a marvel of coziness.

A gas plant has been installed and double the number of lights have been placed around in the various rooms. As usual, the kitchen this year will be a special feature, and will be under the management of a competent chef, and meals can be obtained at all times.

The only thing that bothers the executive committee is what to do with the many applications for membership. The limit of 200 has been reached and a special meeting will be called to take up the advisability of increasing the membership to 250 regular members.

The Country club still holds a lease of several years on the Currier land, and will probably make arrangements for an indefinite rental of the same.

Taking it all in all, the Country club seems to have a very bright future before it.

## A BIG HONOR FOR LOCAL BOY.

A pleasant feature of the reception at President Wood's residence Saturday night was the announcement for the first time, the selection of a local young man to be head designer of the Wood Worst company. C. Ernest Curran, the young designer, who has been chosen for this position, is the son of the designer, James Curran, head designer of 143 Parker street, and one of the most popular young men in the city.

He will be barely 27 years of age when he assumes his new duties. Though a young man he has had valuable experience in textile work. After leaving the high school, he took a full course at the Lowell Textile school, graduating with honors. This was supplemented by three years at Kunhardt's mill under Mr. Tate, the present designer. For the last three years Mr. Curran has been designing at the Washington mills under head designer, James Barnes. Mr. Curran has shown great proficiency in his chosen line of work, and his promotion to be head designer of the largest worsted mill in the world comes as a recognition of merit. His popularity with his fellow workmen is attested by the song "Merrill" which has been poured in upon the young man, who takes his promotion with characteristic modesty.

## ENTERTAINED DELEGATION FROM LOWELL CHURCH

The Young People's club of the United Presbyterian church entertained the young people of the Presbyterian church of Lowell last evening, 68 from the Lowell society arriving here on a special car at eight o'clock. A delegation from the Lawrence league met them at the transfer station and proceeded at once to the church on Concord street, where a pleasant evening was spent by the young folks. Miss Annie Hendry, acting as chairman, delivered an appropriate address of welcome. Rev. A. B. Gibson of Lowell made an answering address on behalf of the visitors. F. D. Smith and Miss Bessie Cunningham rendered a pleasing duet. Peter McKinnon gave a short talk on the object of the society, and the good work which it is accomplishing.

Supper was served by the young people, the boys acting as waiters. Those who assisted in the serving were: Frank Morris, George Stuart, Robert Tyne, Norman Morrison, Will Morrison, Andrew Morrison and Willis Stuart. The committee who arranged the affair were: Miss Jessie Welch, Annie McPherson, Jennie Kerth, Bessie Cunningham and Annie Hendry. Those who prepared the supper were: Mrs. Thomas Carleton, William Cunningham and John Carleton. The visitors, expressing their appreciation of the welcome given them by the Lawrence society.

## THE CRUELTY OF IMPERIALISM.

From the Houston Daily Post.  
The first thing one knows there is going to be a revolt against imperialism in Mexico. Ten thousand citizens of the City of Mexico were compelled by the authorities to take a bath the other day.

When baby talks, it is time to give Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It is the greatest baby medicine known to loving mothers. It makes them eat, sleep and grow. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

W. A. Allen.

## INQUEST ON DEATH OF WILLIAM CURRAN

An inquest was held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in city hall to place the blame for the death of William Curran at Salisbury beach on April 19.

The U. S. marshal from Washington, D. C., conducted the hearing, and among those who were summoned to testify were Patrick Webb and Michael Merrick of this city.

The party left Newburyport for the island at 1 o'clock and the hearing was begun immediately on their arrival.

The scene of the disaster was visited and the two local men related their experience, and pointed out the places where they had started out, where the boat capsized, and how it was that Curran lost his life.

According to Webb's story, which he told under oath, the boat was overturned 400 yards from shore; that when he came to the surface he could not see either of his two companions, and immediately struck out for shore. Through those 400 yards of angry, dashing white caps he struggled and after 20 minutes of hard fighting he reached shore. He then looked out, and seeing Merrick alone struggling in the water, he again entered the surf, swam to Merrick, and helped him to safety.

He further testified that he was brought to a cottage wrapped in blankets and was there some time before he saw any of the life saving crew.

Merrick's story corroborates Webb's in so far as the rescue was concerned. A telegram reporter interviewed him this morning and he told his story, as if the remembrance of it greatly affected him. He said that when the party was thrown out of the boat, Curran caught him by the arm with a death grip, and twice he went down with him swamped by the tremendous waves. The third time the sea hit them, Curran was overcome, let go, and that was the last Merrick saw of him.

Although he was greatly exhausted in his efforts at trying to save Curran, he then struck out for shore and soon received assistance from Webb. He further testified that when they were trying to make a landing at Black Rocks the life saving crew were in full view, but they did not offer to help them, nor did they see them after the accident happened.

Arthur P. Curran, a brother of the drowned man, was also interviewed and he feels very grateful for the assistance both men rendered to his brother, but says that as he understands it the life saving crews went to blame.

Both Webb and Merrick say that by the way the U. S. marshal talked on Thursday the crews needed looking after as there had been several reports of carelessness on their part. Decision was reserved.

## POPULAR PRIEST OBSERVES HIS BIRTHDAY.

Rev. James T. O'Reilly, O. S. A., pastor of St. Mary's church for nearly twenty years, and one of the most honored and respected clergymen of the city, celebrated Tuesday the fifty-fifth anniversary of his birth.

Descended from an old Irish family, James T. O'Reilly was born in Lansburg, N. Y., May 1, 1851. Deprived by death of his mother at an early age, his father who was a soldier in the Civil War, died at Richmond just before his fall. Meanwhile under the care of his grandparents his early education was being well taken care of at an excellent school in Troy, N. Y., conducted by the Xaverian Brothers.

After several years there he entered Villanova college, Pennsylvania, where he was graduated in 1871. During his course in the college, feeling a call to the religious life he had entered in January, 1868, the Augustinian Novitiate. On May 5, 1872, he made his solemn vows, was ordained to the priesthood by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Wood of Philadelphia on March 15, 1874; and on April 5 of the same year, celebrated his first mass at the church of St. Thomas, Villanova.

For some time the professor of mathematics at Villanova college, he was afterwards appointed procurator of that institution, and while serving in that capacity also officiated as pastor of St. Denis' church, West Haverford, Penn., where he made many improvements in the church, and also built a fine parochial residence.

He was transferred to the pastorate of Schaghticoke, N. Y., where he purchased a much needed parochial residence and built a mission church at Johnsville.

About this time the affairs in Lawrence demanded the care of a man of more than ordinary ability and therefor on August 1888, Fr. O'Reilly was transferred to St. Mary's church, this city.

Since his coming here nothing need be said of the manner in which he has worked and placed the parishes which he found overburdened with debt, on a firm financial basis.

His work toward the erection and beautifying of the parochial property has been very marked, he having erected the convent of St. Mary's for the Sisters of Notre Dame, the present parochial office, St. Mary's Shrine, and St. Monica's church Methuen, and has so greatly improved the interior and exterior of the Immaculate Conception church.

Fr. O'Reilly has also done excellent work in the line of church organization and among the societies which he has established and encouraged are: The Young Men's Catholic Association, a Court of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, a Court of the Knights of Columbus, a conference of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, and the Merrimack Co-op bank.

Today, Fr. O'Reilly seems just as young as he did almost 20 years ago, when he came here to take charge of the Catholic people of this city; he still lives in their hearts; they still honor and respect and love him, and all join in wishing him many still happier and more prosperous returns of his anniversary.

The reverend gentleman spent the day very quietly. He celebrated a private mass at 8 o'clock in St. Mary's Shrine and while attending to his regular duties all day he was kept busy receiving the congratulations of his people, and the tokens of their love and esteem for him.

The monthly meeting of the Lawrence and Haverhill Methodist Episcopal preacher's association was held this morning in the North Andover M. E. church. Rev. William Warren of the Haverhill street M. E. church this city, president of the association was in the chair. The members present were the Revs. S. E. Quimby, Perry, N. H. J. W. Adams; Methuen; William Woods, William Warren and George W. Norris, Lawrence; H. E. Allen, Salem Center; and R. T. Wolcott, Methuen.

A very interesting paper entitled, "My Sunday in Foreign Lands," by the Rev. J. W. Adams of Methuen. A paper by Rev. I. C. Brown on "Current Events," was postponed. The next meeting will be held in Methuen on May 28th.

## MASSACHUSETTS RELIEF FUND FOR SAN FRANCISCO

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May 26—First Section. At Lawrence—Merrimack vs. Brockton.

At Lynn—Wanderers vs. Andover. Second Section.

At Lowell—Bunting vs. Andover. At North Billerica—Billerica vs. Lawrence.

At Lowell—Moore vs. Methuen. LAWRENCE LODGE 1, O. O. F. HOLDS ANNIVERSARY.

Lawrence lodge, 150, I. O. O. F., celebrated the 87th anniversary of American Odd Fellowship Tuesday night.

There was a large attendance of the members and visiting brothers from the neighboring lodges. Included among the guests of the evening were District Deputy Grand Master Evelyn L. Durkee and suite of Haverhill and Grand Instructor William M. Webber of the Massachusetts Grand Lodge.

At the lodge meeting 19 candidates were initiated by the degree staff, of which Charles T. Schuler is Noble Grand, being assisted by Samuel Smith, P. G., John R. Ward, P. G., Helon Smalidge, P. G., St. Clair Crouse, Edwin Laycock, George Crompton, A. A. Philbrick, P. G., John William P. G., James H. Lord, P. G., Edwin C. Patton, P. G., C. F. Townsend, George Francis, Quartet-Crossley Greenwood, first tenor, Charles Cowx, second tenor; Herbert Hall, first bass; J. Watson Sewell, second bass. E. E. Davies, organist; John W. Judson, electrician.

The work was done under the direction of Past Grand George S. Wadsworth and was commended by Grand Instructor Webber and D. G. M., Durkee.

After the lodge meeting, the company repaired to the banquet hall where seats were laid for 150 persons. The caterer was James H. Moore and the spread was first class. Noble Grand Charles T. Schuler called the gathering to order and after welcoming the guests introduced Past Grand George S. Wadsworth, who in a neat speech accepted the position. He opened the program of entertainment by calling upon the company to join in singing a verse of "America." The remainder of the program included selections and funny stories by Prof. Henry Sellers, a Boston humorist, which he kept his hearers convulsed with laughter; violin solo by Charles T. Schuler; songs, both comic and sentimental, by James Carney and James H. Blott and brief remarks by Past Grand Representative Frank L. Calderwood and Robert Newton, both esteemed members of the lodge.

Our gray dress goods are changing all the time. New checks and mixtures come today. The 50 inch \$1.25 quality, 85 cents per yard, at Farr's Remnant store, 38 Appleton street, Lawrence.

"You forget my sisters," said Edward, trying to steady his brain. "Oh, well—yes," replied his mother, and returned to her reading."

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CRICKET GAMES FOR MAY. State League. May 5—First Section. At Lawrence—Merrimack vs. Mohair. At East Boston—East Boston vs. Lawrence.

Second Section. At Lowell—Mohair vs. Lawrence. At Methuen—Methuen vs. Lawrence.

May 12—First Section. At Lowell—Mohair vs. Lawrence. At Highlandville—Highlandville vs. Merrimack.

Second Section. At Andover—Andover vs. Billerica. May 19—First Section. At Franklin Field—Boston vs. Merrimack.

At Highlandville—Highlandville vs. Lawrence. Second Section. At Lynn—Lynn vs. Wanderers vs. Lynn. At Franklin field—Caribbean vs. East Boston.

At Methuen—Methuen vs. Andover. At Lowell—Moore vs. Lawrence.

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AGENTS



# North Andover News

James Toole is ill at his home on second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Herbert spent Sunday in Maynard.

Joseph Stone has left for Wynona, N. H., where he will spend the summer.

Herbert Freeman and family have removed from Pleasant street to Lawrence.

Miss Hattie Horn of Haverhill is visiting with her uncle A. P. Cheney on Water street.

The Sewing class meets with Miss Reata Miller on Pleasant street Saturday afternoon.

Dr. S. S. Shattuck is spending a week at Lake Winnepesaukee where he is enjoying some excellent fishing.

George E. Metcalf and family of Haverhill have moved to 46 Union street this town where Mr. Metcalf has accepted a position in the Davis and Furber plant.

A number of members of the Rescue lodge will attend the minstrel show under the auspices of the Merrimack Valley lodge, Haverhill May 12th.

Any one wishing tickets for the concert and ball under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary, Clan McPherson, can purchase them from Mrs. James M. Craig or Mrs. James Thompson.

The Junior Alliance will present their drama entitled "The Open Secret" Friday evening in the Unitarian hall. The drama is an excellent production and a large number of patrons are expected to attend.

George E. Kunhardt, Charles Adams Appleton and Phillip Yost are delegates from St. Paul's church to attend the Diocesan convention held in Boston this week. At this convention the bishop will deliver his 13th annual address.

The Boston & Northern Street Railway company has included in its plans for spring improvement the laying of heavier rails through Water, Clarendon and Pleasant streets in this town. Nearly a mile of new track will be laid from the end of the Perkins' Turnout through the streets mentioned, to the corner of Pleasant and Osgood streets. A 60 pound T rail will be substituted for the present 40 pound T rail.

At the last meeting of the Parish Roger Wolcott club held on Thursday evening April 26 in the club house, the following paper was read by Master George Manning, one of the members. Coming from one of the younger boys we think it well worth publishing. We hope it may do good: "Why a Boy Should Not Smoke Cigarettes." Boy should not smoke cigarettes because it hurts the health and it also hurts his eyes. They make the breath smell badly; when a boy is talking with any one he will not like the smell of cigarettes. If a boy works and gets some spending money, perhaps every week he would spend twenty cents for cigarettes; while if he saved that until he was 21 he would have quite a sum of money. If a boy began smoking cigarettes when he was 12 years old, and spent twenty cents a week on cigarettes, in nine years or until he was 21 he would have spent \$93.60. Had he put his money in the bank instead, with the interest on it, he would have had over \$100, which would be a good sum for a better education or to start him in business. Smoking cigarettes by boys often leads them to bad diseases and sometimes death. Cigarettes affect the mind and often make men and boys insane.

GEORGE MANNING.

## NEW RAIL TO BE LAID.

The Boston and Northern street railway company will lay a heavy T-rail track from Sutton's corner to Nelson's corner in place of the old rail which is now in a very poor condition. This is a much needed improvement and the citizens of this town will highly appreciate it. New turnouts will be put in at Perkins' and Wells'. This work will begin in a short time.

The local cars will now be able to run on a better schedule of time than in the past.

An excellent system of stopping places has also been installed establishing much convenience for local patrons. Men have recently been employed to paint the white poles at the numerous points along the railway thoroughfare. These improvements add much to the railway service in the town.

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Miss Louis A. Blunt is quite ill at her home on Salem street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chickering of New York are spending a few days with the latter's mother, Mrs. W. A. Russell.

Christen C. Collins of the Horace Partridge company, Boston, was a guest at the Young Men's club Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Joseph B. McInnes of 40 Ashland street, who has been a patient at the Lawrence General hospital for a number of weeks has returned to her home.

Harry W. Clark and Mrs. Horace Stevens are delegates from the Old North church to attend the May meeting of the Unitarian association in Boston.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church will conduct a social and Japanese tea in the vestry of the church Friday evening. All friends are cordially invited.

The following letters remain undelivered at the Parish postoffice: Mrs. Emma E. Brooks, Lewis Dow, James Hardy, J. J. Cummings, Krinte Johnson, John McDonald, George B. Riggs, and Edward Webster.

Rev. George H. Pratt, pastor of Christ church, Dorchester, will preach at the Old North church next Sunday morning, in exchange with the pastor, Rev. Mr. Pratt is a forceful preacher.

## CLASS '06 PRIVATE SUBSCRIPTION PARTY.

The private subscription party conducted by class '06 Johnson High school in Stevens hall last night was one of the swellest social functions of the year. The hall was artistically decorated with potted plants and class flags, which were very prettily arranged about the hall. Festoons of red and white crepe paper were draped about the walls giving the hall an airy appearance. The entrance was hung with portieres, while cosy corners were arranged nearby and upon the stage, wicker chairs being invitingly placed behind the scenes. Music was rendered its ever excellent strains to which a choice order of dances was carried out. Dancing was commenced at 8.30 o'clock and continued till 12, when a special car left for the parish and Lawrence.

The floor was in charge of President Stormont Josselyn, assisted by Vice President Charles F. Hill and the following staff of ushers: Jennie M. Rextrow, Alberta T. Ellison, Blanche E. Hanson, Fred Morton, John J. Barker, Daniel W. Driscoll.

The matrons were Mrs. George C. Josselyn, Miss Annie L. Sargent, Miss Bernice S. Rogers, Miss Annie L. Stevens. At intermission an elegant course of refreshments was served.

The committee who had charge of the arrangements were: Music, Daniel W. Driscoll and John J. Barker; decorations, Jennie M. Rextrow and Alberta T. Ellison; printing, Helen C. Costello, Anna Belle Chesley and Charles J. Dore; transportation, Stormont Josselyn; refreshments, Fred Morton and Charles F. Hill.

Among those present were: Mrs. William D. Rundlett, Misses Anna Daly, Etta Stone, Helen Cogswell, Mary Ganley, Nellie Beardon, Catherine Driscoll, Alice Kirk '07, Isabel Reynolds, Margaret Dore, Bessie L. Shaw, Maud Howes, Edna Dinsmore, Anna G. Stone '07, Georgiana Sullivan, Mildred E. Yost '07, Harriet Bixby '07, Elizabeth McCarthy, Elizabeth Costello, Annie Costello, Lena Keefe, Elizabeth Murphy, Mary Frayne, Annie O'Connell, Mary Driscoll, Annie Gilman, May Keefe, Margaret Milner, Maud Milner, Annie Hosmer, Cora Watts, Helen Josselyn, Lilla D. G. Hamilton, Stella Barker, Gerald Miller, Robert Clements, Dr. Fred S. Smith, Clarence Smith, Joseph Dunton, Henry Webster, Charles O'Connell, Walter G. Bassett, Dr. Tufts, Jeremiah Donovan, Emil Carbone, David Daly, Fred Goff, Philip M. Hamilton, Mason Keefe, Principal Ralph L. Wizin, Edward Curley, Fred Halliwell, Sydney Rea, Charles J. Taylor '07, John K. Shaw, Murty Bolton, John Davis, Arthur Reeves '08, Harold Litch '08, Joseph West, Principal Warren R. Bowen, Clifton Carney, Leon Hamilton, Raymond Neil, William Helliwell, George C. Dickey '07, Alphonso Badger, Dan McCarthy, Hughie Crenshaw, Lawrence Carey, Elliot Hale, Harry Josselyn, Attorney C. J. Mahoney. Members of the class '06, President Stormont Josselyn, Vice President Charles F. Hill, Secretary Blanche E. Hanson, Treasurer Alice Hainsworth, Helen C. Costello, Helen Bassett, Alberta T. Ellison, Jennie M. Rextrow, Anna Belle Chesley, Daniel W. Driscoll, Fred Morton, Charles J. Dore, John J. Barker.

## I. O. G. T. NOTES.

Lodge Deputy Mrs. Cathleen Logan, assisted by Marshall Charles West, Chief Templar of Merrimack Valley lodge, and Charles Spinney installed the newly elected officers of Rescue lodge, I. O. G. T. in Odd Fellows hall last night.

The officers installed were: Chief Templar, George Hamlin; vice Templar, Miss Edith Bryson; secretary, Miss Reata Miller; financial secretary, Miss Anna Colthoun; assistant secretary, Miss Bessie Harvey; treasurer, John Fish; marshal, Miss Edith Cushman; deputy marshal, Miss Jennie Cushman; guard, Christopher Parkinson; sentinel, Robert Moore; past Chief Templar, James M. Craig; superintendent of Juvenile temple, Miss Reata Miller; chaplain, Miss Louise Brightman; organist, Mrs. Abbie K. Tufts.

The Grand Chief Templar James M. Craig of Merrimack Valley district lodge, I. O. G. T. has appointed Mrs. Abbie K. Tufts special deputy in the Merrimack district.

## UNION STREET STARS VS. PORTLAND STREET STARS.

In a blood game Monday afternoon the Union street Stars defeated the Portland Street Stars by a score 14-13.

The features of the game was the pitching by Fallon of the Union Street Stars.

Batteries: Union Street Stars, Guichrist-Fallon; Portland Street Stars, Kelly-Cassidy.

## ODD FELLOWS MEMORIAL SERVICE.

About 50 members of the Wauwanes lodge, I. O. O. F. headed by Marshall Henry R. Smith marched from their rooms Sunday evening to the M. E. church where pews were reserved for them. At the church interesting memorial services were conducted and an eloquent address was delivered by the pastor Rev. George E. Sanderson.

The M. E. church board meet next Sunday evening.

Misses Eva Bean and Elizabeth J. C. Donovan visited in Salem Sunday.

A letter has been received from Charles Bailey of Alameda, Cal., stating that he is safe.

Misses Maud Howes and Edna Dinsmore, students at Radcliffe, were in town Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah P. Wardwell has returned to the home of her daughter Mrs. Harry White on High street, after a two weeks' visit in Reading.

Mrs. Alexander Robinson of Derryville, Me., who has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Alden Spofford in West Buxford has returned home.

The following attended the anniversary night of the Kearsarge lodge, I. O. O. F. Friday evening: Thomas P. Wentworth, Joseph Bickell, John Burnham, Joseph Torkington and Charles W. Hinckman.

## YOUNG MEN'S CATH. ASSO. BENEFIT DANCE.

The Young Men's Catholic association baseball team benefit dance held in the Merrimack hall Friday evening, was one of the most brilliant social functions ever held in Merrimack hall.

The various committees of arrangements have been working for a great success and their work was not in vain for the hall was thronged last evening with patrons and the dance was one of the most successful social affairs ever conducted by that organization. An excellent order of dances was carried out and Curran's orchestra furnished the usual good program of music, thus adding much to the social enjoyment.

The following were in charge: Floor director, John M. Garvey; assistant floor director, C. J. Mahoney; aids, Harry E. Cunningham, James L. Toohy, John T. Campbell, John J. Willis, Joseph W. Bolton, Daniel J. Donohue, William Curran, Thomas McGraw; box office, John Costello; refreshments, Thomas Walsh assisted by the members of the organization. Officer George Van Buskirk was in charge at the door.

The members of the Y. M. Cath. Association based ball team are: Daniel J. Donovan, Mgr.; George Leach, catcher; Thomas Murray, pitcher; John X. Healey, 3rd base; Carl Berthel, short stop; Edward Kelley, 2d base; John T. Campbell, 1st base; John J. Willis, left field; Patrick Cassidy, center field; Joseph Robertson, right field; Harry Murray, utility; Thomas W. Walsh, utility; Joseph W. Bolton, utility; Thomas McGraw, scorer.

The following concert program was carried out: Silver Heels, Mallet Overture, Stradella, Flauta Clarinette solo, selected, Charles Caron.

Selection from "Isle of Spice," Schindler

Finale, Our Grand Knight.

Among those present were: Mrs. William Curran, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Redman, Misses Alice Hogan, Elizabeth McCarthy, Elizabeth Donovan, Edith Somerville, Georgiana Sullivan, Eva Wright, Bertha Robertson, Viola Hogan, Ida Leach, Lena Bouchard, Marion LaMere, Carrie Gile, Annie Costello, Nellie Redman, Minnie Stewart, Jessie Stewart, Nellie Hogan, Edith McCarthy, Minnie McCarthy, Beatrice Wagner, Annie Moore, Margaret Starling, Alice Mullin, Jennie Carey, Edna Starling, Lena Donovan, Theresa Costello, Mary Duffene, Lillian Joyce, Eva Campbell, Katherine Daw, Elizabeth Taylor, Alice Goff, Mary Costello, Celia Keefe, Della Greedy, Mary Donovan, Mary O'Connell, Alice O'Connell, Mary McCormick, Elsie Badger, Della Hester, Margaret Hester, Josie Marr, Elsie Pauline, Mary Pauline, Dora Monte, Margaret White, Rose Greeley, Mary Douglas, Margaret Haslam, Jessie Haslam, Edna Dalton, Amy Chadwick, Eliza Laky, Lamp, Mary Harrison, Rose O'Connell, Arthur Cleo, Charles Cleo, Joseph Lord, Joseph Rand, Joseph Chadwick, Murty Matchmaker, Daniel McCarthy, Fred Leach, John Lawlor, James Mooney, Roy Tuttle, Henry Lameaux, Thomas Keegan, William Coash, Fred Hellewell, Gerald Miller, Joseph Vangus, Edward Morlane, Harry Merrill, Herbert Wilcox, Patrick Casey, John Campbell, John Willis, James Toohy, Joseph Bolton, Jeremiah Murphy, Fred Phelan, John Lamb, Patrick Lawlor, John Edin, William Campbell, Murty Bolton, Harry Greenwood, John Watrhouse, Matthew Hannigan, John Murphy, James Hughes, Joseph Coash, Joseph Smith, Lawrence Carey, John Curtin, Thomas McGraw, Philip Costello, John Thompson, Herbert Erskine, Robert Lockhead, Everett E. Johnson, Charles Evers, John Lighland, Alexander Douglas, John Donovan, David Seacal, James Lamb, Timothy McGrail, David Mackie, Daniel Collins, Ambrose Eastwood, William Dick, Thomas McCarthy, John Taylor, Patrick Rinn.

## LAST SAD RITES.

The funeral services over the remains of Miss Mary E. Towne who died Friday morning at her home, 77 Main street, were conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Rev. Samuel C. Beane, Jr., pastor of the Old North Unitarian church. Following the services the remains were taken to Ridgeview cemetery where interment took place in the family lot.

The life-like remains rested in an elegant black broadcloth casket, silver trimmed and the plate bore the following inscription:

MARY E. TOWNE, 1842-1906. The bearers were two cousins, Edward E. Towne and Wallace Towne, two half brothers, Edward M. Towne of Peterboro, N. H., and Samuel Towne of Reading.

Relatives and friends were in attendance at the funeral from Nashua, Peterboro, Reading, Andover, Haverhill, Danvers and Lynn.

The following beautiful floral tributes surrounded the bier: Spray from Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Towne; spray from Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Osbourne; spray from Miss M. E. Towne; wreath from Messrs Mary and Elizabeth Morgan; spray from Mrs. Celia English; sheath of wheat from Mr. and Mrs. George W. Towne; spray, Mr. and Mrs. E. Towne; spray from Mr. and Mrs. Charles James; spray from Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Towne, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton F. Towne; spray from Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Towne; spray from Mrs. Susan Mitchell.

## SAN FRANCISCO RELIEF FUND.

Any persons wishing to contribute to the San Francisco funds who cannot be reached by a canvasser may send their donations to Sam D. Stevens, treasurer of the relief fund committee.

## CITIZEN PAID HIGH TRIBUTE.

St. Michael's church was thronged with sorrowing relatives and friends Thursday, when the residents of this town gathered to pay final tribute to their departed citizen, P. J. Sweeney, the well known plumber, who passed away Tuesday afternoon at his home, 57 Marblehead street. Rev. Fr. Gallagher celebrated a high requiem mass.

Following the solemn services, the remains were solemnly and mournfully borne from the holy edifice and placed in the hearse, and the funeral procession wended its way to Holy Sepulchre cemetery, where interment took place. The remains rested in an elegant black broadcloth, half couch casket with extension bar silver handles. The plate was inscribed:

P. J. SWEENEY, 1851-1906.

The bearers were close friends and fellow townsmen of the deceased. No greater respect could have been shown any man than was shown the deceased. Not only by spoken words of sympathy to the members of the family, left to mourn, but also by the large number who set aside their duties of the day to be present at the funeral service, prominent among whom were men who were closely associated in a business relation with the deceased.

The following beautiful floral tributes surrounded the bier: Cross and base from W. F. Rutter; star and base from Curran & Joyce Co.; basket from Eastman & Blyth; basket from Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Fields; wreath from George B. Smart; wreath from Katherine and William Swindells; spray from John J. Sweeney; mound from employees; basket from Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Smith; basket from Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ewarth; basket from A. W. Brainard and family; basket from S. J. Kirtledge and family; basket from Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Robinson.

## LAST MEETING.

The last meeting of the Women's Alliance for the season will take place at the Old North church Thursday afternoon, May 10th. The subject for this meeting is "Cheerful Letter Work," by Mrs. Nichols; report by Miss Johnson.

Committee: Miss Kate Johnson, Mrs. John P. Clark, Miss Frances Stevens.

## ELECTION AND RECOMMENDATIONS.

The election and recommendations of the Eben Sutton fire company Tuesday were:

Captain, William J. Stewart; lieutenant, William A. Handy; clerk-treasurer, M. William Moulton; standing committee, Edward E. Towne, Walter G. Stone, Walter W. Hayes.

The following were recommended: Engineman, Horace E. Towne; assistant engineman, Thomas P. Wentworth; stoker, Alonzo Bixby.

Appointments—First pipeman, Herbert Woodhouse, Edward E. Towne; second pipeman, Walter G. Stone, Robert Woodhouse; suction hoseman, Walter W. Hayes; hydrant, M. William Roberts; chemical, Edward A. Costello.

Robert Clements was elected to membership to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Robert W. Gile.

## STILL ALARM.

A still alarm Sunday afternoon called the local department to a brisk brush fire in the vicinity of Edward Greene's residence on Railroad avenue. "Our Birds."

## The Boston Theatres.

For the convenience of the readers of the Townsman we will publish each week a list of the various attractions at the prominent theatres of Boston.

Tremont Theatre — Zola's "Therese Raquin." Next week, "The Men on the Box."

Boston Theatre — "The Hippodrome."

Colonial Theatre — Nethersole in repertoire.

Hollis St. Theatre — "The Ham Tree."

Next week, Nance O'Neil in Isben's "Rosmersholm."

Park Theatre — "Cousin Louisa."

Globe Theatre — Kellar.

Empire Theatre — "The Charity Ball."

Next week, "Men and Women."

Castle Square Theatre — "The Adyentures of Joady Ursula." Next week, "The Light that Failed."

## NEW YORK TRIUMPH RENEWED.

"A YANKEE CIRCUS ON MARS" FROM THE HIPPODROME A GREAT SENSATION AT THE BOSTON THEATRE.

"A Yankee Circus on Mars" from Thompson & Dundy's New York Hippodrome has taken all Boston by storm. The show which made the largest playhouse in the world infinitely famous opened on Monday night at the Boston Theatre. The performance is the most elaborate and pretentious upon which a Boston curtain has ever risen.

It is a combination of musical extravaganza, spectacle, comedy, circus, ballet and specialty. Five hundred persons are on and off the stage during its progress, and its character is entirely different and distinct from the ordinary theatrical routine. Thompson & Dundy declare that they have provided for Boston a show thoroughly surpassing the original production. Several improvements have been made in principle, ballet and chorus have been selected and trained with greater care and more leisure; and opportunity was had to provide a more renowned host of foreigners for the circus exhibition which is importantly incidental to the stage show proper.

More than an hour of the production is devoted to arenic acts, and no such array of world famous artists ever was printed before on one program. All make their initial Boston appearance and all have been engaged exclusively for the Boston Theatre and the New York Hippodrome.

"The Dance of the Hours" is one of the great sensations of the performance. One hundred and forty-four girls are employed in its execution and the costuming and color effects are a revelation.

The show is drawing throngs at two daily performances, for it has a matinee each day. Its engagement at the Boston Theatre is limited.

## Marriages.

In Andover, Saturday April 28, Miss Grace L. Burt and Rev. J. Edgar Park, the West church, by Revs. Frederick Green, John Winthrop Platter and William Park.

In Andover, Friday, April 27, Miss Annie Auchterlone and James Thompson, by Rev. F. A. Wilson.

In Andover, Friday, April 27, Miss Constance Somers and John Woodward Woollett, by Rev. Harris G. Hale of Brookline.

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ESSEX STREET

Ballardvale.

Union Congregational Church, Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, pastor. Services for Sunday, May 6.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor, subject, "Reconciliation through Christ," followed by communion.

Sunday school to follow.

2.30 p. m. C. E. Juniors.

6.30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Union meeting.

7.30 p. m. Wed. evening, annual meeting of the Sunday school.

7.30 p. m. Thursday evening prayer meeting.

## METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. William Ferguson, Pastor. Services for Sunday, May 6.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor, subject "Redeemed," followed by communion.

Sunday school to follow.

3.00 p. m. E. L. Juniors.

6.00 p. m. Epworth League.

7.00 p. m. Praise service with address by the pastor.

7.30 p. m. Meeting of Ladies' Aid society.

7.30 p. m. Thursday evening prayer meeting.

Hugh Steed spent Sunday with friends in Somerville and Medford.

Miss Belle Dinsmore has been spending several days with friends in Lawrence.

Mrs. Wm. H. Hodgkins of Somerville spent Monday with her son Willis B. Hodgkins.

Willard Lowe of Providence, R. I., spent last Friday with his mother, Mrs. Mary S. Lowe.

Joseph Shaw of Fitchburg spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Brown of Everett were the guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Hodgkins.

Miss Belle Walsh, proprietress of the Union Market of Lowell, was the guest Tuesday of Miss Nora Scott.

Ballardvale will play a practice game on the Plains Saturday afternoon at 2.30 with a picked team from the Vale.

Miss Winnie Craig and Mrs. David Houston of Lawrence, were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Steed.

Frederick Buckley, a former resident of the Vale, has accepted a good position in a large wool scouring plant in Chicago, Ill.

The annual meeting of the Congregational Sunday School will be held in the church vestry at 1.30 o'clock next Wednesday evening, May 9.

A large delegation from the local C. E. society will attend the meeting of the Andover C. E. union to be held at the South church, next Friday evening, May 11.

A fine lake trout weighing nine pounds ten ounces was on exhibition at Dr. Shattuck's drug store yesterday. The speckled beauty was caught by Carl Henriksen, who is spending the week on a fishing trip at Lake Winnepesaukee.

## Baccalaureate Preacher.

Rev. Harry P. Dewey of the church of the Pilgrims, Brooklyn, N. Y., will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of Phillips Academy on Sunday, June 17. Mr. Dewey is one of the most popular college preachers of the present day, and the school is fortunate in being able to secure his services for this occasion.

There was a good attendance at the May sale and entertainment held in Bradlee hall last Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Methodist Ladies' Aid society. The several tables presented a very attractive appearance.

The following program was rendered in a very creditable manner: Piano solo, Miss Laura Petty; vocal solo, Bettie Kibbee; violin solo, Miss Elsie Henbury; recitation, Myrtle Clukey; song, Harold Weld; recitation, Miss Bethia Coltas. The Sweet family comprising the widow Sweet, Mrs. H. L. Clukey, Amy Ann, Miss Florence Simpson, Betay Belenda, Miss Minnie Howell; Caroline Cordelia, Miss Emily Moody; Dorothy Delilah, Miss Clara Moody; Elizabeth Eliza, Miss Ethel Howell; Frances Fedora, Miss Eliza Howell; Glorianna Gadabout, Miss Elizabeth Ferguson. The sale was a success in every way and netted a liberal sum for the church.

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the Bradlee Mothers' club at the Kindergarten room last Wednesday afternoon. Miss Ella Holt rendered a very fine violin solo and her sister Miss Charlotte Holt accompanied her on the piano. Ice cream and candy were served by the teachers. Voted to have Gentlemen's night, Wednesday evening, June 6.

At the meeting of Ballard Vale Lodge, No. 105, held last Monday, the following named persons were elected officers for the ensuing quarter: C. T. Edmond Hammond; V. T. Mrs. Mary A. Fessenden; P. C. T. Mrs. Millie B. Hammond; Sec. Mrs. J. H. Smith; F. S. Gilbert Fenlason; T. Daniel H. Poor; C. Rev. William Ferguson; M. Miss Bessie Corbell; A. S. Miss Emma Abercrombie; D. M. Miss Fannie S. White; Organist, Miss Emma Abercrombie. Voted to postpone the installation of officers one week to Monday evening, May 14, in order that Shawshaven Lodge of Andover could attend in a body. Lodge Deputy James M. Craig of North Andover, will conduct the installation.

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